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TODAY: At 5 a.m. the temperature was 48 deg.; clear; no frost.

Forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Continued fair.

San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy; light easterly winds, changing to northerly.

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MAY LOSE HER BABE.

Saxon Court Will Endeavor to Obtain Possession of Expected Child of the Crown Princess.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BERLIN, Jan. 2.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Saxon court is determined to make an attempt to obtain possession of the expected child of the Crown Princess, according to the Boersen Courier, and has instructed its Chief of Police at Geneva to keep a sharp lookout and avoid deception by the substitution of another child.

The intention of the Crown Prince is to claim the fatherhood of the child and educate him at the Saxon court.

Got Increase of Wages.

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—Three hundred barn, shop and general employés of the Union and Consolidated Traction companies have had their wages increased 10 per cent, by an arbitration board that has been settling their controversy with the roads. The increase is for the next year and a half, and adds $170,000 to the payrolls of the companies.

ALOHA TO UNCLE SAM.

Joy Over the Cable at Honolulu.

Silvertown Met in the Harbor by Tugs and Excursion Boats With Delegates.

Messages Poured Over the Line Yesterday to and from the "Paradise Land."

Voyage of the Big Ship Through Stormy Seas—Delay in Splicing the Ends.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

HONOLULU, Jan. 2.—[By Pacific Cable.] Having buoyed the deep-sea end of the cable in the turbulent Molokai Channel at 5:20 o'clock the morning of Friday, December 26, after much difficulty and great risk, the Silvertown came on to Honolulu, docking at the naval wharf at noon. The big ship was met in the harbor by tugs and excursion boats, carrying welcoming delegations, with bands of music, and escorted to the wharf, where a great crowd awaited. It was the intention of the engineer in charge of the expedition to take on board 1000 tons of coal as ballast, and await favorable weather to return and pick up the sea end and bring it close inshore, and buoy it. The shore end of the cable was then to be laid out and the final connection made at that point.

Saturday brought no improvement in the weather conditions. The wind blew great guns from the northeast, and crafts arriving through the channel reached the sea-stirred maelstrom. It was then decided to make no move that day, but to delay the attempt until Sunday morning, December 28, when a start was made. The vessel had not proceeded one mile from the dock when the full force of the gale, from behind the high hills struck her. The skipper at once decided not to go outside, as picking up the buoy in the channel was quite impossible. It was then determined to lay the shore end while the conditions were favorable on that side of the island.

The Silvertown was taken in shore within half a mile of the coral reef, and preparations were made to haul a line ashore. The character of the bottom, which is rock, with a narrow opening through the coral reef, rendered great care necessary in placing the extremely heavy type of cable. Throughout the day crowds ashore watched the steam launches running in and out, and awaited patiently the actual landing of the long-expected submarine telegraph. At a quarter to 5 o'clock in the evening, the end of the cable left the Silvertown's bow with ballon buoys attached at intervals of fifty feet. Half a mile of heavy line was hauled ashore by steam power without hitch or halt.

One hour and five minutes from the time the line left the Silvertown, the cable end was hauled up on the soil of picturesque San Souci Park, amid the shouts of thousands, and the crash of band music rendering a cable march dedicated to President Mackay. Just as the cable touched the shore, a heavy shower of rain fell on the gaily-attired multitude, but danger of a wetting was ignored in the eagerness to catch a glimpse of the magic line that is to connect them with the rest of the world. There was no official ceremony further than the laying of a native wreath on the end of the cable by Mrs. Hawes, who repeated the customary native greeting, "Aloha."

The Silvertown remained at anchor holding to the line until near noon Monday, December 29, when she moved out on the course prescribed by the chart, paying out the cable. Six miles were laid to a point off Koko Head. At this point, rough seas were encountered, and the line was buoyed. A start was immediately made for Molokai Channel to investigate whether or not the buoy had weathered the buffeting to which it had been subjected for nearly three days.

Some anxiety was expressed lest it had been overwhelmed, and allowed the line attached to the end of the 2000-mile strand to carry away. Fortunately, however, no such disaster had occurred. The buoy was riding in safety, but the marked buoy, which had been dropped near it Friday morning, December 26, had disappeared. The seas were running even higher than three days previous. The wind continued to blow half a gale from the northeast.

No boat necessary in the picking up of the buoy could have survived, and no thought was given to making the attempt at this time. Another mark buoy was put down some distance away, and the Silvertown returned to Honolulu Harbor and anchored off shore. It was agreed between Capt. Morton and Chief Cable Engineer Benest that no further work would be attempted until the wind abated and the seas calmed. The wind showed signs of abating Tuesday, December 30, but the big steamer made no move. Wednesday also passed in idleness, with very little wind, and for a time it was thought advisable to make an attempt to complete the work. It was finally decided, however, not to risk the chance of lifting the cable from the bottom of the sea in any except calm weather. It was reasoned that another day would see the end of the period of the northeast trades, the duration of which surprised even the oldest residents of Honolulu.

Thursday, the first day of the new year, scarcely a breeze stirred the waters of the harbor, and advice came to the ship from Diamond Head lighthouse that the channel was quite calm, with only a moderate swell running. A few minutes after 4 o'clock in the morning, the Silvertown heaved anchor and made a start down the bay. Prospects of the cable connection on the first day of the new year created intense interest in the city, where the enthusiasm had been somewhat dulled by the long delay. At daylight the Silvertown arrived off Koko Head, where the shore end had been buoyed since Monday. With little difficulty, the line from the bottom was spliced upon deck and passed over the stern sheaves and a start was made for the outer buoy. The cable was paid out at the rate of seven knots an hour.

Shortly after 1 o'clock in the afternoon the Silvertown reached the point where the San Francisco end was buoyed. The sea was not rough, but the swell rolled the vessel considerably. Great care was taken in handling her while taking up the buoy. It was finally accomplished at 3:44 o'clock, without untoward incident. The connection with the testing room was quickly made, and San Francisco responded promptly to the call, thus relieving the public mind on the continent, which must have regarded the long silence of the ship as strange, if not ominous. Congratulations and compliments of the season passed between the ship and the shore. Connection was then made at 4:40 o'clock between the two lines and Honolulu by the ship.

There was joy on board the Silvertown when the extraordinary strain which had rested on the entire staff for nineteen days came to an end. Mr. Benest, the engineer in charge of the expedition, expressed much relief that the great task had been completed without accident. The proverbial luck of the Silvertown carried her safely through 2000 miles in as rough weather as ever cable was laid. Therefore, the celebration of New Year's on board the ship had a double significance and was doubly welcome. Four hours were spent in testing and following the recently-laid line to acquire the temperature of the ocean depths. At 5:40 o'clock p.m., Honolulu time, came the first call from San Francisco.

The voyage of the Silvertown was eventful, and at times unpleasantly exciting. Twelve hours out from San Francisco, the cableship was beset by bad weather, which continued, with the exception of one day, to the end of the voyage. Variable winds that at times approached the velocity of gales; heavy seas that buffeted her about, retarded the progress as well as endangered the safety of the cable; in fact, every adverse condition that is usually encountered in the laying of a cable was met with and at times made the task almost hazardous one.

A more perfect day could hardly be imagined than Sunday, December 14, when the shore end was landed near Cliff House of San Francisco. The end of the line was brought on board the steamer at 5:30 o'clock in the evening, and the start was made at 12:39 o'clock Monday morning. The favorable conditions continued until 11 o'clock in the morning of that day, when the vessel ran into a squall of wind and rain, that came from the west. Steering through a southwesterly course, the Silvertown offered a broad starboard beam to the storm. Soon the seas were whipped into confusion, rolling the vessel in a manner most dangerous to the cable. The velocity of the wind increased, and early in the afternoon great green seas boarded the starboard bow, and swept along the deck and escaped into the sea through the port scuppers.

Toward evening, ropes were stretched about the deck, and everything was made fast. The rain ceased, but the storm continued with unabated force through the night. These were anxious hours for those in charge of the safety of the cable. Two courses were open to them; either to keep on the true course, or cut and buoy the line. But they were fraught with great danger. A deviation from the course was obviously out of the question, as much for the reason that such action would not have lessened the strain upon the cable, as the more important consideration of the waste of line, and the danger of getting into unknown depths. To have cut and buoyed the cable would have been equally dangerous. Even one of the great buoys, carried for just such emergencies, could scarcely have weathered the storm with 2500 fathoms of cable, weighing five tons, tugging at it. All chances were carefully weighed, and the vessel's bow was kept southwest.

Tuesday, the 15th, brought no improvement in the weather conditions. The wind continued to blow great blasts from the west, and seas constantly bombarded the big ship's starboard beam. One particularly heavy sea boarded the starboard bow, swept the deck from fore to aft, smashed the scullery light, and broke the gangway ladder. The chartrooms on the hurricane deck were flooded, and the bridge itself was invaded at times by the turbulent seas. Those at work in the paying-out room on the main deck, and about the cable machinery, waded in water to the knees. The companionways were battened down in order to prevent the flooding of the saloon. One of the cooks of the galley was badly scalded by a cauldron of spilled soup. The saloon steward was hurled against a door, and severely bruised and injured.

At times the ship rolled terribly and it seemed that the great strain would prove disastrous to the cable. Under ordinary conditions the line is paid out 7 per cent. faster than the speed of the vessel. This was increased during the storm to 10 per cent. Even with this concession, the strain was terrific. As the ship lifted and lurched, the great drum around which the strand was passing, would almost cease to revolve one moment, only to resume with a rush the next, rendering the lives of the men in the tanks a probable, if not a near, hazard.

The dynamometer regulating the speed of and the strain on the line at such times fluctuated wildly, rushing from an indicated strain of two tons or less up to four and even five tons. When it is understood that the breaking strain is eight and three-quarters tons, it must be apparent that failure to relieve the strain promptly meant disaster to the precious line, and its loss in 2500 fathoms would have meant a long and serious delay in the completion of the work of laying the cable, as well as being a most expensive happening to the contracting company. Rare good judgment, in the handling of both the ship and the cable at these critical times averted an accident. Through Monday night and until Tuesday noon, when the wind abated in force, the ship's officers and crew and the cable staff were on duty without rest or sleep. Great relief was expressed when the apparent critical situation was passed, although, when the wind abated at noon on Tuesday, the seas continued, with a strong, heavy swell that ran counter to the ship's course. Wednesday, the 17th, the weather improved, and everything ran smoothly and fair progress was recorded. Heavy swells made the ship an uncomfortable place, and rendered a close watch on the cable necessary.

Thursday favorable conditions prevailed, and in spite of a strong southwesterly breeze, 207 knots were paid out, which was the best day's run up to this time. Friday, the first section of the cable, measuring 929 nautical miles, was finished and the vessel was stopped at 8 o'clock Friday night to make the change to the after tank, containing the second section. This interesting and hazardous operation was successfully carried out, in a little more than an hour, and progress was resumed. As the vessel grew lighter the rolling increased. The character of the cargo and the ponderous deck machinery made her particularly susceptible to the onslaught of the sea.

Saturday, the 20th inst., was much like the preceding day, save that the rolling motion was accentuated by southwest winds, veering at times to the west, with only 187 knots reeled off. For twenty-four hours, ending at noon Sunday, the 21st, 217 knots of cable were laid. The wind blew from the southwest with moderate force, but on the whole the day was a pleasant one, and progress was good.

During the night, however, there was a considerable sea on and one of the cable men in the tank was caught in the swirl of the line and suffered a dislocated shoulder. The day was notable for two things, the crossing of the Vancouver-Australian cable at 4 o'clock in the morning and the receipt of the first batch of news from San Francisco. This latter consisted of brief bulletins of President Roosevelt's appointment as arbitrator in the Venezuelan difficulty; the disastrous train wreck at Byron, Cal.; the capture of the Humberts in Madrid; Marconi's latest claims in wireless-telegraphy discoveries, and some minor items. The news from shore was received with delight by those on board the Silvertown, the appointment of President Roosevelt being especially interesting to the English staff, while the English citizens expressed some surprise at the news of the appointment and enthusiastically indorsed it.

Tuesday, the 23d, opened with nasty weather, strong head winds accompanied by flurries of rain, and heavy seas again brought danger to the cable. The men in the cable tank had another bad night, and worked with great risk. One of them them was caught by the flying line, and was thrown against the wall.

From Tuesday noon to Wednesday noon the deepest water was crossed, averaging 3000 fathoms. Thursday, December 25, Christmas Day, was not a pleasant one to the people on the Silvertown, and the English custom of celebrating the day was postponed to a more propitious time. The wind veered around to the northeast and increased to a velocity greater than that experienced Monday and Tuesday.

Just before midnight a final change of tanks was made, the after tank being emptied of its 996 miles of cable and the light transferred to the forward tank. The change made was extremely hazardous, owing to the now almost empty vessel tossing and rolling in the heavy seas.

Throughout the day a northeast gale blew with the end of the deep-sea cable in sight, and with it the necessity of cutting and buoying the end. An anxious night was passed by all on board. No member of either staff attempted sleep. The wind blew a fine rain with great force during the night, which, with the tremendous seas running, rendered life on deck uncomfortable, as well as dangerous. Many of the officers familiar with the ways of the sea were tossed about upon the deck. After 8 o'clock in the evening the Silvertown's speed was reduced, in order to bring her to a suitable buoying-place toward daylight. Between 2 and 3 o'clock three soundings were taken, and preparations were made to buoy the sea end.

The operation proved a most difficult one, owing to the motion of the vessel, which at times rolled to the extreme angle of 43 deg. It was with difficulty that the line was made fast to the cable and the end buoyed. Word was given to cut the line at 5:29 o'clock, and as the 6-inch Manila hawser was cut with the knife, it parted with a snap. So great was the strain upon it that friction caused it to take fire as it passed over the sheaves at the stern, and the sparks scattered about the deck in a pyrotechnic display. The buoy was jerked overboard with terrific force, but quickly righted itself. The cable was safely buoyed in 450 fathoms of water. A marked buoy was dropped as near as possible to the cable buoy, and the vessel stood by until 8 o'clock in order to get the bearings. She then proceeded to Honolulu, where she arrived at noon, December 26.

CABLE TO WHITE HOUSE.

MESSAGES TO AND FRO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—The following cablegram was received at the White House at 2:30 o'clock this morning, dated Honolulu, January 1, 9:30 o'clock p.m.:

The President, Washington: The people of the Territory of Hawaii send their greetings to you and express their gratification at the inauguration of telegraphic communication with the mainland. We all believe that the removal of the disadvantage of isolation will prove the strong factor in the upbuilding of a patriotic and progressive American commonwealth in these islands.

[Signed] HENRY E. COOPER, Secretary of Hawaii.

The following is the reply of the

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VENEZUELA.

LOWERED HIS LIGHT.

Capt. Terrill Gave Germans a Tip.

Agents of the Red D Line Suspend the Zulia's Skipper for Assisting Blockaders.

Gunboat Panther Hastened in as the Steamship Left and Seized the Miranda.

President Castro's Impossible Alternative—Wanted Arbitration by Home Talent.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Under charges based on the violation of neutrality laws and with the alleged responsibility of having given information to the blockading force which led to the capture of the Venezuelan gunboat Miranda, December 30, Capt. George Terrill of the steamship Zulia of the Red D line, was suspended today from duty. His steamship will sail tomorrow with another commander on her bridge. The captain says the charges are false.

Upon information being laid before them, Boulton, Bliss & Dallett, agents of the Red D line, sent for Capt. Terrill, who did not deny that he had twice ordered the Zulia's stern light to be lowered while that vessel was leaving Maracaibo Harbor, but did deny that it was intended as a signal to the blockading German gunboat Panther, which hastened in as the Zulia left and seized the Miranda, while she was lying at the Maracaibo dock. Capt. Terrill alone is held responsible for the alleged offense.

Boulton, Bliss & Dallett had instructed the commanders of the Red D line vessels to observe absolute neutrality in connection with Venezuelan affairs. For some reason, however, Messrs. Boulton, Bliss & Dallett were slow in giving credence to the report when it was brought to their attention that Capt. Terrill was suspected of having entered into an agreement with German warships to inform them, after entering the port of Maracaibo under an American flag, whether there was a Venezuelan gunboat in the harbor.

The information laid before the steamship agents was corroborated by the members of the Zulia's crew.

WHAT CASTRO WANTED.

AND WHAT HE'LL NOT GET.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—The condition which President Castro attached to his reply to the allies's arbitration proposal was in the nature of an alternative proposition. Almost from the beginning showing an aversion to The Hague tribunal, Castro, while accepting the principle of arbitration, asked that the case be tried by one of the American republics.

As President Roosevelt already had declined to act in the capacity of arbitrator, and as some of the reasons which inspired him in his declination would apply with equal force to the Chief Executive of any other American State than the United States, he was obliged to withhold any indorsement of this proposition of President Castro. Therefore, it may be dismissed from the field of possibilities, and unless Castro is unexpectedly insistent upon his own plan, the original proposition in reference to The Hague tribunal will carry.

There were no new developments over New Year's Day in the way of cablegrams containing news from European capitals or from Venezuela.

DISPARAGED THEIR COOKS.

Consul-General Bittinger Gets Into Disfavor With Canadians—Rumor That He Has Had to Resign.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The attention of the President has been called by a New England Senator to a printed interview with Col. John L. Bittinger, United States Consul-General at Montreal, in which Col. Bittinger makes comparisons between American and Canadian cooking, to the disparagement of the latter. The Senator told the President that utterances of this kind by American consular officers tended to create international bad feeling, and he intimated strongly that men who made them should not be retained in the diplomatic or consular service. The action of this Senator is an echo of the report that Col. Bittinger had tendered his resignation as Consul-General on account of the unpopularity which his comments on Canadian cooking brought him among Montreal people.

Col. Bittinger denied that he had any intention of resigning. He is now at his home in St. Joseph, Mo., on leave of absence. In interviews, he was quoted as saying that the food he received at the hotel in which he lived in Montreal was very poor. The hotel proprietor saw the interview, and wrote an indignant response, in which he said that the criticism of Col. Bittinger came with very bad grace, as that gentleman had obtained cheaper rates at the hotel than any other guest. It is not likely that any action will be taken by the President unless the British government should indicate that it was offended by the Consul-General's reflection on Canadian cooks and cookery.

The Canadians are proud of their domestic arrangements and regard Canadian women as the best housekeepers in the world. If Col. Bittinger should return to Montreal, he may find that his personal usefulness there has ended.

WASHINGTON.

CASE FULL OF COLOR.

Minnie W. Cox Out of Postoffice.

She Gave Satisfaction to Patrons at Indianola, Miss., but the Mob Objected.

Her Forced Resignation in the President's Hands, but He Stands Up for Her.

Senator Hoar's Anti-trust Bill—Platt Thinks Reciprocity Treaty is Safe.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—During the afternoon, today, the President discussed with several members of the Cabinet features of the case of Mrs. Cox, Postmaster-General Payne being in conference with the President for an hour or more. It was decided finally to issue a formal statement concerning the Indianola case. Secretary Cortelyou, for the President, made public the following:

"The postmaster at Indianola, Miss., is Mrs. Minnie W. Cox, a colored woman. She served three years as postmaster under President Harrison. When President McKinley came in, she was again appointed in 1897, nearly six years ago. Her character and standing in the community are indorsed by the best and most reputable people in the town.

"Among those on her bond is the present Democratic State Senator from the district, together with the leading banker of Indianola, and an ex-State Senator from the district, also a Democrat. The postmaster and her husband own from $10,000 to $15,000 worth of property in Sunflower county. The postoffice inspectors who have investigated the office from time to time, show that she has given the utmost satisfaction to all patrons of the office.

"The postmaster recently forwarded her resignation, to take effect on January 1, but the report of inspectors and information received from various reputable white citizens of the neighborhood show that the resignation was forced by a brutal and lawless element, purely on the ground of her color, and was obtained under terror of threats. The Mayor of the town and the Sheriff of the county both told the postoffice inspector that if she refused to resign they could not be answerable for her safety, but at the same time no word was said against her. On January 1 the bondsmen of the postmaster telegraphed that the postoffice was closed, and the department claimed that her resignation was in the President's hands, to take effect January 1, and that there had been no advice of the appointment of her successor. The telegram closed with the statement:

"'Prompt action by the President necessary for the relief of business interests, which are being injured solely by the action of the lawless element of the town, is wholly secondary to the preservation of law and the assertion of the fundamental principle that this government will not connive with or tolerate wrong and outrage of such flagrant character.'

"By direction of the President the following was sent to the bondsmen: 'The postmaster's resignation has been received, but not accepted. In view of the facts, the postoffice at Indianola is closed. All mail for that place will be forwarded to Greenville. The case will be referred to the Attorney-General.'"

CABLE FROM DEWEY.

FLEET CONTINUING EXERCISES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—The Navy Department has received the following cable from Admiral Dewey, dated San Juan, P. R.:

"Combined squadron reassembled at Culebra, visits the various West Indian ports, most cordially welcomed; effect excellent in every respect; fleet continuing tactical exercises; maneuvres and torpedo flotilla engaged in special drills, including night attack by the latter upon designated ships. F. Brailey, coal-passer, drowned in sinking of Newark's steam cutter by collision with torpedo boat."

PLATT ON RECIPROCITY.

TREATY CAN BE RATIFIED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Senator Platt of Connecticut, who returned to Washington today, is confident of the ratification of the Cuban reciprocity treaty. He said that all arguments that had been made against the treaty were pure nonsense, and could easily be met by its supporters. Advocates of the ratification of the treaty have been greatly strengthened by the declaration of Secretary of Agriculture Wilson that within five years the United States will be able to supply the entire demand for sugar in this country at 2 cents per pound. If this is true, the argument of the beet-sugar men that a 20-per-cent. reduction of the tariff on Cuban sugars would injure their business is completely demolished, for if American beet-sugar makers can produce sugar at 2 cents a pound, they can undersell Cuban and all other competitors.

In the opinion of Secretary Wilson, this great reduction in the price of sugar in the United States will be brought about by the discovery that there are vast additional areas in the country where the sugar beet can be grown by irrigation, and improvements in methods of cultivation and handling, by raising seed in this country instead of importing it, and by using the pulp of beets as a cattle food, the value of which is just beginning to be understood.

ANTI-TRUST BILL PREPARED BY HOAR.

PROVIDES FOR GOVERNMENTAL SUPERVISION OF THEM.

Requires Full Statements of Organization to Be Made and Has Other Important Restrictive Clauses—Extreme Penalty Proposed is Dissolution.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—Senator Hoar has completed and to day made public the anti-trust bill, which he asked leave, before the Senate adjourned for the holidays, to introduce. The bill goes to the Committee on Judiciary, of which Senator Hoar is chairman.

The first section of the measure declarse that the act shall not repeal or limit anti-trust laws now on the statute books. Under section 2, the Attorney-General is authorized to employ any professional or other assistance which may be deemed necessary or desirable to prosecute offenses under the act, or under the acts before mentioned, or to make investigation into the same, and for that purpose the sum of $500,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated. Section 3 provides:

"That from and after the 30th day of June, 1904, no corporation, joint-stock company or other association whose stockholders are not personally liable for the debts created by any State or Territory, shall engage in commerce with foreign nations or among the several States, or continue to carry on such commerce, unless it shall comply with the following conditions:

"First. It shall file a statement in the office of the Interstate Commerce Commission, signed and sworn to by its president, its treasurer, its general manager and a majority of its directors, or by the persons exercising the powers usually accorded by such officers and directors of such corporations, joint-stock companies and other associations, on or before September 15, 1904, and shall, on or before September 15 in each year thereafter, file a like statement for the year ending with the 13th day of June, in said years respectively showing:

"Second. The amount of its capital stock.

"Third. The market value of the same.

"Fourth. How much of the same has been paid in full in cash, or if the same has not been paid in full in cash, what has been received by said corporation, joint-stock company or other association in lieu thereof, and the value of whatever shall have been so received by it.

"Fifth. The names of all the officers and directors of said corporation, joint stock company or other association, and all agents trusted with the management of its affairs.

"Sixth. The amount it has paid in dividends during said period the rate of percentage of such dividends and times of paying the same.

"Seventh. A statement of all the stock owned by it of any other corporation, joint stock company or other association, specifying the corporation, joint stock company or other association, and the number and value of shares in each; the amount of its own stock held by other corporations, joint stock companies, or other associations, and the value thereof, and the amount of stock in other corporations, joint stock companies or other associations held in trust for it, for which it has any interest, directly or indirectly, absolute or conditional, legal or equitable, specifying the corporations, joint stock companies, or other associations.

"Eighth. An undertaking signed by said officers, general manager and directors that they will comply with the provisions of this and all other laws of the United States in the management of the affairs of said corporations, joint stock companies, or other associations, and that they accept the provisions and liabilities of this act and the obligations by it imposed so long as they shall continue to hold or exercise said offices or authority. The Attorney General of the United States may at any time require of any corporation, joint stock corporation or other association engaged, any statement he may think fit in regard to the conduct of its business; and he may especially require any such corporation, joint stock company or association to give a list of all contracts or transactions entered into the twelve months preceding such requisition in which it has sold any article or product, or carried any article or product at a rate less than the ordinary market price, if such article or product has been sold or carried by any other person than the party to such transaction. And he may further require the reasons for such distinction and circumstances attending the same."

Section four provides:

"That every person, corporation, joint stock company or other association engaged in commerce with foreign nations or among the several States, who shall enter into any contract, combination or conspiracy, or who shall give any direction or authority to do any act for the purpose of driving out of business any person engaged therein, or who for such purpose, shall, in the course of such commerce, sell any article or product at less than its fair market value or at a less price than it is accustomed to demand, or receive therefor in any other place under like conditions or in undertaking that it shall not be sold again by the purchaser or retain such sale by the purchaser, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor."

Penalties for violation are provided. Section 5 provides:

"That no corporation, joint stock company or other association shall engage in commerce with foreign nations, or among the several States, a majority of whose stock is owned or controlled or held in trust for any manufacturing or other corporation, which in the course of its manufacture and production conducts its business or any part thereof, in a manner which would be prohibited by this act, if it were so conducted in the course of such commerce with foreign nations, or among the several States."

Section 6 provides that all the books of record and papers of every such corporation, joint stock company or other association engaged in commerce with foreign nations, or among the several States, shall be subject to inspection by the Attorney-General of the United States, or by any agent he may designate for that purpose, and such corporation, joint stock company or other association, shall, at such times as he shall prescribe, make such further returns verified as aforesaid, as shall be by him prescribed by general regulation, or by special direction.'

Section 7 declares that officers or agents, who do anything prohibited to the corporation by the act shall be individually liable to the penalties provided.

Section 8 provides that no corporation, joint stock company or other association, after June 30, 1904, shall manufacture or produce any article which, in the course of business, is habitually sold and delivered beyond the State in which it is manufactured, whether by said corporation, joint stock company, or other association, and by subsequent purchasers thereof, and which shall, in the course of its own domestic business do any of the acts or things prohibited to be done by this act, shall engage in commerce with foreign nations, or among the several States.'

Section 9 provides that any corporation, joint stock company or other association, that shall have been twice adjudged to have violated the provisions of the act, or either of the acts mentioned in section 1, hereof, by the final judgment of any court having jurisdiction on the question in any civil suit and proceeding, which said corporation, joint stock company, or other association shall have been a party, who shall thereof violate this or either of said acts, shall no longer be allowed to engage in commerce with foreign nations, or among the several States; provided, that such prohibition shall only be enforced after such corporation, joint stock company or other association shall have been enjoined against further engaging in such business on any information or suit brought in a United States court of competent jurisdiction, by the Attorney-General in behalf of the government.'

Sections 10 and 11 provide additional penalties for violation of the act.

SOCIOLOGICAL ASPECTS OF IRRIGATION PROBLEM.

ARID LANDS MAY BE SAFETY VALVE FOR THE REPUBLIC.

Lumber Supply of Country Cannot Last Thirty Years Under Present Methods—Economic Value of Remaining Public Land—New Florida Orange.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—The American Association for the Advancement of Science today agreed on a request to the President to appoint a physician as a member of the Isthmian Canal Commission. A commission was also appointed to secure a suitable memorial to Dr. Reid, the army surgeon, who performed notable work in improving the sanitary conditions in Cuba.

The features of the section on social and economic science was a review of the work of the various bureaus of the Department of Agriculture by their chiefs. Prof. Willis L. Moore, chief of the Weather Bureau, said that it cost $1,500,000 a year to make the forecasts; that the frost warnings of a few days ago in Florida saved millions of dollars to the people of that State, and the forewarning of a single cold wave recently saved shippers $4,000,000.

In a paper on the sociological aspects of the irrigation problem, Guy E. Mitchell expressed the opinion that the reclamation of the arid lands of America through government construction of irrigation works would furnish for years to come an effective outlet for the industrious surplus population of great cities. The irrigation of the 100,000,000 acres of plains and valleys, he said, will tend to make small farms and homes a general rule throughout the entire country.

President O. Fernow of the Agricultural Department, discussing the timber supply outlook in the United States, said that a calculation of the present stand of virgin timber in the United States, ready to supply the demand for lumber, showed the improbability, if not the impossibility of the United States meeting the increasing demand for lumber another thirty years, under present methods of utilization. Even if the entire forest area of 109,000,000 acres were supposedly still fully stocked with the average stand per acre as reported by the census on the holdings of lumbermen—an absurd proposition—the stock on hand would be exhausted within that period.

Even under good forestry practice the present increasing demand, he said, could only be supplied for a limited time.

In a paper on the economic value of the remaining public land, J. D. Whelpley said that not another acre of public lands should be sold for cash or its equivalent. Residence and cultivation should be required before it could be obtained, and this residence and cultivation should be at least five years, so as to insure a permanent and not speculative interest in the holding. He sounded a note of warning against the free disposal of the public lands.

Prof. F. L. Galloway, chief of the Bureau of Plant Industry, said a new orange had been created in Florida, which bids fair to build up a marmalade industry.

At today's meeting of the Geological Society of the United States, one of the affiliated societies to the association, a number of addresses were made on the subject of volcanos in the West Indies by those who were on the scene at Mont Pelee.

Prof. L. C. Russell held that the principal cause of death during the eruptions of Mont Pelee and La Soufriere, was steam charged with dust. Robert T. Hill stated that the theory of gas having proven the natural cause of death had not been fully established, and he thought that until the matter had been studied in detail it would be well to withhold any declaration as to what was the chief cause of death.

AUSTRALIA NEEDS WHEAT.

REPORT FROM AMERICAN CONSUL

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—One hundred thousand tons of breadstuffs must be exported from wheat producing centers to Australia during the coming season to meet harvest deficiencies, says United States Consul Goding at Newcastle, in a report to the State Department, dated November 11. The crop in New South Wales, he says, will not reach 50 per cent of the quantity reaped last year, and Victoria will require imports of 2,363,920 bushels of wheat to supply her needs. The situation is not so bad in South Australia, though the crop there is less than last year.

About fifteen thousand tons of California flour are afloat for New South Wales, but the Consul says the price of California flour has risen so greatly that the effect will be to divert a great deal of the trade to Canada, which raises hard wheat of a class well suited to mix with California flour.

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PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIR E TO THE TIMES.]

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CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Rain, snow and sleet, with a raw northeast wind, combined to give Chicago a most disagreeable day. The temperature ranged between 31 and 34 deg., the maximum being reached at 8 o'clock a. m. A drop of 7 or 8 deg. is predicted for tomorrow. Snow was reported at Milwaukee and Davenport, and rains generally throughout the Lake region, and the Mississippi and Ohio Valleys. Temperatures at 7 a. m: New York, 32; Boston, 36; Cincinnati, 36; Philadelphia, 34; Chicago, 34; Washington, 30; Minneapolis, 16; St. Louis, 36.

OPEN BOARD OF TRADE.

The Open Board of Trade will branch out as a rival of the old Chicago Board of Trade next Monday, when the Western Union will begin sending out its quotations to every commercial center in this country and Europe. George T. Sullivan, a prominent member, predicted today that within three months it will stand on a par with the Board of Trade.

"Eighteen elevator firms are with us, including the Peavey interests," said Sullivan, "and we are sure to profit by secessions from the board. Fifty new members have joined us within the last fortnight."

BIG PACKING BUSINESS.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Swift & Company packing corporation today, it was reported that sales for the year exceeded $2[illegible],000,000. The profits were 13 per cent. on the $25,000,000 capital stock. In addition to paying 7 per cent. in dividends, the company carried to surplus account, $1,500,000, or 6 per cent. on the capital.

ANNA REIMERS MARRIED.

An Evanston bride of today was Miss Anna Reimers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Reimers, who was wedded to H. J. Richardson of Rochester, Minn.

SEEKING CALIFORNIA'S CLIME.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gorton have leased their house on Prairie avenue and will go to California for the winter. Mr. and Mrs. Elliot H. Phelps will leave for California January 8.

TO MANUFACTURE WAGONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PANA (Ill.) Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A company with $100,000 was organized in Blue Mound today, for the manufacture of wagons. It will locate in the shop buildings in Pana formerly occupied by the Burlington and Quincy Southwestern Railway.

RAILWAY PROPERTY CONVEYED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WAUKEGAN (Ill.) Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Chicago and Milwaukee Railway Company's property, between Evanston and Waukegan, was today conveyed by deed to the Chicago and Milwaukee Railroad Company, the consideration being placed at $3,400,000. The new company will at once float bonds to secure money for improving the property, and completing the connecting links.

IN NEED OF COAL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DAVENPORT (Iowa) Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Davenport Syrup Refinery, operated by the glucose trust, and employing 400 hands, shut down today for want of coal. Word from other Iowa towns indicates similar shortages.

LOST AND FOUND.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHESTER (Ill.) Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Young Louis C. Chandet of Prairie du Rocher, eloped with Miss Ida Bogarth of Taylorville, Ill., and was married at Clayton, Mo., this week. In consequence, he has been disinherited by his mother.

IN FAVOR OF BIBLE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DES MOINES, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Iowa State Teachers' Association went on record today in favor of the Bible. A resolution was adopted declaring that "greater attention should be paid to moral training, and to this end there should be greater familiarity with the Bible, so that this great book may ever be the teacher's aid."

WOMAN WITH A WHIP.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SIOUX CITY (Iowa) Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Because she heard he had been circulating uncomplimentary reports regarding her, Mrs. Gus Kannappel walked into the office of Rudolph Beerend, book-keeper for the Sioux City Brewing Company, today, and gave him a horsewhipping.

SMALLPOX IN KENNALL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Sixty-three cases of smallpox are reported at Kenosha, Wis., a village of 400 inhabitants. No attention is paid to quarantine, it is said, and people ill with the disease go about the streets.

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ONE STATE PLAN NEXT IN ORDER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

DENVER (Colo.) Jan. 2.—A special to the Republican from Santa Fé, N. M., says that in an interview today, W. S. Hopewell, chairman of the Territorial Central Committee of the Democratic party in New Mexico, announced himself in favor of admitting Arizona and New Mexico as one State, with three Representatives in Congress, the capital to be fixed for ten years at Santa Fé.

He had just returned from Chicago, where he had an interview with Senator W. H. Andrews, a close friend of Senator Quay, and his announcement today in favor of joint Statehood is supposed to represent the views of Senator Quay, in case it should not be practicable to force the Omnibus Statehood Bill through the Senate.

It is said the President also disclosed to New Mexican workers for Statehood who have lately spoken to him, that he is in favor of joint Statehood for Arizona and New Mexico. Hopewell says a bill effecting the merging of the two Territories into one State will be introduced, probably some time next week.

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Spreading Rails Send Engine and Cars Into Ditch.

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[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

OAKLAND, Jan. 2.—One mile and a half south of Pleasanton, and little more than five miles south of the place in Livermore where, on last Wednesday evening, the Livermore local met with disaster, the same train, which left the last-mentioned town at an early hour this morning for this city, was again wrecked, entailing a heavy expense upon the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, injuring several people and badly shaking up and endangering the lives of about forty passengers. The accident was caused by the spreading of the rails. The train was in charge of Conductor Moffit, who was in Wednesday's wreck.

The engine, No. 1465, was completely dismantled, and now lies a cripple in the ditch on the west side of the track. The tender crashed against it, and its sides were broken open with gaping fissures, after which it climbed upon and rested on the ruined locomotive. The baggage and express car broke loose from the tender and went on the east side of the track, but before doing so, it was badly wrecked by contact with the corner of the tender.

There were three passenger coaches in the train. The forward trucks of the first coach were wrenched from their pivot, and left the car lying in an awkward position with its nose in the roadbed. The other two coaches remained on the rails, but the forward platform of each was somewhat shattered by the force of the blow which they had received when their momentum was overcome by the injury to the engine.

The engine was in charge of E. R. Saulpaugh, who was shot out of his cab and thrown heavily against the bank of earth on the west side of the cut. He was badly shaken up, bruised and scratched, and his life was undoubtedly saved by the fact that the overturning of the engine projected him with violence out of the cab, thus saving him from being caught in the debris of the wreck. Saulpaugh is a resident of Oakland.

The fireman was John Swansen. He was treated in the same manner as was Saulpaugh by the overturning engine, and was injured in the same way. Swansen is also a resident of Oakland.

The baggage car was in charge of Robert Norman, who also officiated as the express messenger. The shock to the train projected Norman with exceeding force from one end of the car to the other, but he escaped a cracked skull by grabbing and holding on to upright standens, which are provided to keep the baggage from flying at random through the car. His injuries are painful, but not serious.

The most severely injured was Mrs. Mary E. Black, an elderly and heavy woman who was a passenger in the middle coach of the train. The terrible shock of the stopping of the train caused her to become hysterical. In the excitement which followed the stoppage of the train, there was a mad scramble on the part of the passengers to make their exit from the cars, but this was subsided so far as the majority of them was concerned, as soon as they perceived that they were not to be subjected to another horror like that at Byron. This composure, however, was not regained by Mrs. Black. She would not be comforted, reassured or restrained. She rushed screaming and hysterical to the platform of the coach, and thence blindly leaped to the uneven footing of roadway on the side of the track. There she fell heavily, and was rendered unconscious. When she regained her composure, she was unable to walk, and had to be assisted by the train people and others to a place where she might rest quietly. She was injured in the leg, and it was thought that, owing to her great weight, she had sustained serious internal injuries. Mrs. Black is matron of the City and County Hospital of San Francisco.

WILLIAMS-BEALE TRIAL.

LINE OF DEFENSE ADOPTED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—The line of defense was told today in the trial of Thomas Williams and Truxton Beale, charged with the shooting of Editor Frederick Marriott. Joseph P. Dunne, attorney for the defendants, made his opening address to the jury, and in it he said testimony would be introduced to show that the shooting was done in self-defense.

He said the defendants called at Marriott's home to secure retraction of a story reflecting upon the young lady to whom Beale was then engaged to marry. Dunne declared that the discussion of the article led to high words between Beale and Marriott, and the latter raised his hand to strike. Beale quickly drew his revolver and struck Marriott over the head. Marriott then ran up the stairway, and when near the top turned and, according to the attorney, made a motion to draw a revolver. Williams then fired three shots at the editor.

Police Sergt. Shaw, a number of policemen and some newspaper men were called to impeach the evidence of Mrs. Marriott, who testified that she saw Williams firing at her husband. These witnesses swore that Mrs. Marriott told them she had merely heard the shots.

Thomas Williams, one of the defendants, was then sworn, and began his testimony by relating a conversation he had had with Beale. The attorneys engaged in a dispute on admitting this evidence, and had not settled it up to the hour of adjournment. Early in the day Marriott was recalled and testified that he did not have a pistol on his person on the night he was shot.

BATCH OF APPOINTMENTS.

GAGE WORKING OVERTIME.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 2.—Gov. Gage today made the following appointments:

C. M. Hammond of Lake county, to be a director of Agricultural District, No. 12, vice self, term expired; W. L. Rideout of Lake county, to be a director of Agricultural District, No. 12, vice self, term expired; Charles E. Larrabee of Yolo, to be a director of Agricultural District, No. 40, vice T. S. Spaulding, term expired; Frank H. Owen of Yolo county, to be director of Agricultural District, No. 40, vice W. R. Gibson, term expired; Edward White of Santa Cruz county, to be a director of Agricultural District, No. 14, vice W. S. Rodgers, term expired; H. A. von Coeman Torchiana of Santa Cruz county, to be a director of Agricultural District No. 14, vice J. A. Linscott, term expired; Vincent Hook of Contra Costa county, to be a director of Agricultural District No. 23, vice George Sellers, resigned; Robert Wallace of Contra Costa county, to be a director of Agricultural District No. 23, vice self, term expired.

STATE PRINTER'S SELECTIONS.

MORE IMPORTANT ANNOUNCED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 2.—William W. Shannon, State Printer-elect, tonight announced the following appointments, which are among the most important in his office:

E. D. Sullivan of Sacramento, to be foreman of the pressroom; William W. Cuthbert of Sacramento, to be general foreman; Ed McGeeney of Solano to be assistant foreman; P. H. Hurley of the Veterans' Home at Napa, to be watchman.

TENNANT'S CHARGES.

HEARING IS INTERRUPTED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN JOSE, Jan. 2.—The Common Council investigation of four members of the Fire and Police Commission on charges of conspiracy and malfeasance preferred by W. F. Tennant, a former member of the fire department, which has been in progress at various sessions, was terminated this evening, upon the conclusion of taking testimony in the matter by a temporary writ of prohibition forbidding further proceedings until a final hearing is had in said court on January 9.

TWO MEN TAKE IT.

GAS ROUTE TO DEATH.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—W. C. Bolin, a discharged soldier, was found dead in his lodgings today. Gas filled the room, and as deceased was without money or prospects, it is thought that suicide was intended. Bolin was 35 years of age.

Charles P. Thurn, a lumberman, was found dead in his room today. He had been accidentally asphyxiated by gas.

Frenzied in the realization that the girl he best loved had been won by another, Arthur J. Kinsley, a clerk, residing at No. 622 Ellis street, ended his life today by swallowing a quantity of carbolic acid. He died in great agony before medical aid could be brought to him. Kinsley was but 19 years of age.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Woman Driver Killed.

STOCKTON, Jan. 3.—Mrs. A. M. C. Smith, recently from the East, was instantly killed at Lodi today. She was driving a team, when the horses began backing. Becoming frightened, she stood up in an endeavor to get out of the vehicle, when she pitched forward to the ground, her head striking a rock, and causing instant death. The deceased was about 55 years of age, and leaves a family.

Three More Jail Birds.

STOCKTON, Jan. 2.—John Sullivan, Oliver Ross and John Allison were sentenced to four years in State prison today—three for highway robbery and one for burglary. Though young men, the trio are well known to the police. Sullivan has been up twice before on robbery charges, but was not convicted, and Ross has a cousin at Folsom.

Pie for Foley.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 2.—William J. Foley, private secretary to Gov. Gage, was appointed attorney of the State Board of Health, vice George A. Knight, resigned. Foley intends to engage in the practice of law in Los Angeles with Gov. Gage.

Vexatious Question Settled.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—The much-discussed question as to the right of the steamship companies employing Chinese crews to transfer the crews of one vessel to another while in this port, under the Exclusion Act, has been settled. The Attorney-General at Washington has decided that under certain conditions it is possible and legitimate for the steamship companies to transfer Chinese crews from one vessel to another.

Booth Leaves for East.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—Gen. William Booth, founder and commander-in-chief of the Salvation Army, did his last day's work in San Francisco yesterday, and this morning left for Salt Lake and Omaha.

SUEDKE'S COSTLY "JOY."

There was a lesson administered to A. R. Suedke, one of the New Year's fire-arms fiends, yesterday in the Police Court, which was especially appropriate in view of the sad ending of Jones, the Santa Fé clerk. Suedke made a great nuisance of himself shooting off his gun on Spring and Main streets. Judge Austin fined him $50.

MAY GO TO DEVLIN IF ANY DEADLOCK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 2.—There is a persistent rumor in circulation, to the effect that State Senator Robert Devlin, a Republican, who is a member of the Prison Commission, will be a candidate for the United States Senatorship at the next session of the Legislature. The friends of the Senator are urging him to come out openly into the fight, and the Sacramento delegation has already gone so far as to agree to vote for him on the first ballot. When questioned as to his candidacy, Senator Devlin said:

"Some time ago, several friends of mine, and particularly members of the Sacramento delegation, expressed a desire to cast their votes for me for United States Senator. But I cannot say that this constituted me a candidate. My name was suggested as one that might prove acceptable in case a prominent and announced candidate should fail to receive the necessary number of votes to elect.

"Whether a deadlock will occur, I do not know, but until this event does happen, I do not suppose I am for a moment to be considered. If a deadlock should occur, why, that is a different matter."

FIGHTING FOR "ONE EYED."

Morocco Pretender in Role of Unselfish Knight.

Object of His Benevolent Efforts is Sultan's Brother.

Mulai Instead of Being Grateful Leads Army Against Would-be Benefactor.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TANGIER (Morocco) Jan. 2.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The pretender has issued a proclamation announcing that he is not fighting for the throne for himself, but for the Sultan's imprisoned brother, Mulai Mohammed, surnamed the "One Eyed." It is now confirmed that the Sultan has ordered his brother's release, and that the honors of his rank be paid to him. The Governor, at a recent conference with the Kabyle chiefs, pointed out to them that they are responsible for the safety of the roads running through their territory.

The Spanish sloop of war Infanta Isabel has arrived here.

Advices from Fez under yesterday's date have been received here. Guns were then being mounted on the walls for the defense of the city, but the rebels remained inactive. They have not sufficient supplies for the expeditions.

Fez continues quiet, but the dearness of food is causing discontent. If the situation becomes more grave the Sultan will abandon the capital, retire to Rabat and summon the border tribes to a holy war. The Sultan then will proclaim himself a sheref and defender of Islam, renounce all European leanings, and then, at the head of a new force, attempt to retake Fez.

MULAI LEADS ATTACK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Jan. 2.—In a dispatch from Gibraltar the correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says that the brother of the Sultan of Morocco, Mulai Mohammed, in command of the royal army, left Fez, December 27, to attack the rebels.

FOUR HUNDRED GIVEN ANOTHER HARD THRUST.

WATTERSON DASHES INTO THEIR MIDST AT FULL TILT

Dwells on Possibilities of Visits from "His Belgian Nastiness," the Crown Princess and Her Frenchman and Leopold and His Inamorata.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LOUISVILLE, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Henry Watterson paid his New Year's compliments to the "400" in another caustic editorial, as follows:

"Why, look you, gentlemen, we shall have on our hands next summer not only his Belgian nastiness, but mayhap the Crown Princess and her Frenchman, and Brother Leopold and his inamorata, whoever she may be. Boris was not a circumstance to these.

"Newport will have to give two monkey dinners, and have two monkeys at each dinner.

"We mourn for Oscar—not King of Sweden and Norway, but him of Waldorf-Astoria. Be sure the brunt will ultimately fall upon him. Then come the yacht races in August. After the yacht races the horse show. With the King of Belgium giving a state dinner in the Astor dining-room upstairs, with the Crown Princess and her suite in the south palm garden downstairs, what will poor Oscar do?

"And in outer corridors all the divorcees sitting around, murmuring to one another, 'We don't object to that sort of thing in the least, not in the least; we rather like it. It's all right, if kept within bounds. We just don't want it to spread, that is all.'

"The smart set of the East is like a fire in a certain district. The house or houses afire are doomed, there is no saving them, so the energies of the force are bent to the rescuing of the adjoining tenants. New York is the city we mean that is able to take care of its own. Newport, being wholly lost, does not mind."

LADY LAWSON DRUNKARD.

Anglo-Indian Newspaper Editor and Writer Applies to Courts for Summons Against His Wife.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Jan. 2.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The first notable case under the new licensing act, which went into effect yesterday, came up in a London police court today, when Sir Charles Allen Lawson, the Anglo-Indian newspaper editor and writer, applied for a summons against Lady Lawson, whom he described as a habitual drunkard. The summons was granted.

The new act enables either husband or wife to secure a separation in the case of habitual drunkenness, and allows the police to arrest an inebriate anywhere except in a private house, whether disorderly or not. After conviction, drunkards are blacklisted for the space of three years. If they attempt to obtain drink during that period they are liable to a fine, while the publican supplying them is fined $50 for the first offense and $100 for the second offense. Imrisonment is provided for drunkenness of a person in charge of a child under 7 years of age.

EDDY CONFIRMS BELL.

Satisfies Himself That Aeroplane Kite Carrying Motor and Man is to Solve Great Problem.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—William A. Eddy, who is well known in connection with kite-flying investigations, has successfully experimented, says a dispatch from Bayonne, N. J., to the World, with an aeroplane similar to the one with which Alexander Graham Bell recently made the discovery that led him to announce that the flying machine of the future would be of this type. Eddy's experiment was in corroboration of Bell's statement that an aeroplane kite could be made that would carry the weight of a motor and a man, and thus solve the problem of aerial navigation.

As a result of his experiments, Eddy asserts that Prof. Bell's discovery will revolutionize flying-machine invention.

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PREFERRED ADVANCES ALMOST TWO POINTS AS RESULT.

Reported Objections of Employees Call Forth a Statement from One of the Members of Finance Committee. Other Companies Following Suit.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In regard to reports from Pittsburgh that the profit-sharing plan of the United States Steel Corporation is not being well received among employés in the steel works, a member of the Finance Committee of the concern said today that the objections must have been made by employés who did not understand either the plan or the situation among other employés of the corporation.

"The member of the Finance Committee who got up the proposed plan," said this director, "did not get it up and make it public without knowing something about the way it would be received. There must be some employés of the corporation who do not care to make an investment, and there may be others who will oppose it without thinking much about it, but you may be sure that there will be many who will see an opportunity in the offer."

The offer of the steel trust has been well received in Wall street, it having the immediate effect of boosting the prices of both common and preferred, and of giving both issues a higher price level. The preferred stock, which is to receive the benefit of the corporation buying for its employés, was one of the most active on the list, and was traded in large blocks from the opening. It advanced nearly two points, and was given strong support by people who are interested in the proposition.

Other industrial corporations are following the lead of the United States Steel Corporation. The first one to announce it being the Pressed Steel Car Company.

"MARY OF MAGDALA."

Bishop Moreland Warmly Praises the Play and Interpretation of Title Role by Mrs. Fiske.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A letter written to the management of Manhattan Theater by Bishop Moreland of California, who saw "Mary of Magdala" during the church congress in New York, is typical of many letters written by eminent clergymen after witnessing Mrs. Fiske in this play.

"The play," wrote Bishop Moreland, "was refining and elevating in its influence. It handled scriptural scenes and personages with great reverence, and ought to be the means of accomplishing great good. Mrs. Fiske's acting was most subtle, and powerful in its appeal to the higher nature. As Mrs. Fiske presents the character of Mary of Magdala it is an exquisite poem."

WAR ON BLACKMAIL.

Police Commissioner Greene Begins the Herculean Task of Purifying Morals of the New York Force.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—After a consultation with Deputy Commissioners Ebstein and Peter Piper and Chief Inspector Cartwright, Police Commissioner Greene issued the following order today:

"All precinct detectives and patrolmen doing duty in plain clothes, whether in the district or in the precincts, and whether detailed to duty by the Police Commissioner or by inspector of districts or captains of precincts, are hereby returned to duty as patrolmen, to take effect January 7, and they will not be eligible for detail of any kind during ninety days from that date."

By this order 262 men are ordered to duty as patrolmen, and each one is transferred to a new precinct. Commissioner Greene is taking this action, it is understood, with a view of breaking up the system of blackmail which is alleged to exist in the department.

HALF AND HALF.

Addicks Republicans Make Offer to Divide Offices With the Regulars if All Enter Caucus.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WILMINGTON (Del.) Jan. 2.—Subcommittees of the Union and regular Republican party members of the General Assembly met here today to discuss the organization of the Legislature which will convene at Dover tomorrow. The Union Republicans are the adherents of J. Edward Addicks, who is a candidate for the United States Senate.

During the conference the Addicks committee agreed to give the regular Republicans onehalf of the offices in the two houses, providing the officers shall be named in a caucus of all the Republican Legislators. The regulars declined to accept this proposition, explaining that they were without authority to commit their members. They agreed, however, to submit the proposition to the regulars. The suggestion will be discussed at a meeting tomorrow of the regular party members of the Assembly.

BANKER CATCHES BURGLAR.

Millionaire Pliny Fisk Finds Nick Moran Breaking into His Desk and Clinches With Him Successfully.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Pliny Fisk, millionaire banker of this city, caught a burglar early today after the intruder had escaped from Fisk's apartments in the Holland House. Fisk was awakened from his slumbers and had a lively half hour, dressed only in his pajamas, in the halls and on the marble steps that lead from the hotel offices to the second floor.

Fisk's quickness and coolness resulted in landing in jail one of the cleverest of the hotel thieves, his captive being Charles Dean, better known as "Nick" Moran. Dean was once arrested in the Waldorf-Astoria on the suspicion of having stolen the diamonds of Mrs. Kingdom, mother of Mrs. George J. Gould, but the police were not able to make a case, and the mysterious return of the jewels caused efforts to find the thief to be dropped. Dean has an extensive prison record.

Fisk was awakened at 7 o'clock this morning by a robber, whom he caught breaking into his desk. Fisk pursued him. A general alarm was sounded and many persons started after Dean. All the hotel outlets on the street were locked, so the thief could not get out. Dean meantime came walking down the hotel steps with coolness and deliberation intended to throw off suspicion of his identity, but Fisk recognized him, and after another struggle held him captive until the police came.

PLAN TO ROB PAY-CAR.

EL PASO (Tex.) Jan. 3.—News of a bold plan to hold up the Southern Pacific pay car has reached here. Local officials of the El Paso division were informed yesterday afternoon that an attempt would be made, and at once took measures to prevent it. The scene of the proposed robbery was at Strauss, a small station of the Southern Pacific, a few miles west of this city. The car was ordered tied up at Lordsburg, N. M., and late last night a special, bearing a posse, was sent to accompany it to this city. Up to a late hour, no news had been received by local officials and it is impossible to say whether the attempt was made or not.

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GOOD GOODS
107-109 North Spring Street

Men's 50-Cent Underwear

The best 50-cent Underwear you have ever had. From a standpoint of comfort it will give you as much satisfaction as though you paid a big price. Comes in salmon, blue or gray, fleece lined; perfect fitting.

75c Men's Night Shirts 65c

Nothing skimp about them. They are the sort of night shirts a man likes—full cut, made of good muslin, every stitch carefully sewn. They would be especially good at 75c. At 65c they are worth hurrying for.

39c Men's Silk Neckwear 25c

All of them are pretty, some are just as handsome as ties could be. Made of pure silk, and such a big lot to choose from. 39c quality, your pick at 25c.

Daintiest Women's Gloves Made

Maggoni Francisco $1.50

These exclusive Italian kid gloves were never so charming and distinguished as this year. Perfect in fit, made of the most superb skins. Come in exquisite shades, and what service they give!

All the latest mid-winter styles, $1.50

Those French Flannels---50c.

Some of them, you'll remember, formerly sold at $1.25, and none sold below 75c. We shall close out every yard of French flannel in the store at 50c. It's a chance you can't afford to let slip.

Four Linen Reductions.

We've taken four popular lines in linen to sell at the following tempting prices tomorrow. No need of telling you about the Hale quality, Patterns—just as you would expect—are new and they couldn't be prettier.

75-CENT TABLE DAMASK AT 60 CENTS.
Width 66 inches.

90-CENT TABLE DAMASK AT 75 CENTS.
Width 63 inches.

$1.00 TABLE DAMASK AT 85 CENTS.
Width 70 inches.

$1.25 TABLE DAMASK AT $1.00.
Width 72 inches.

Napkins to match in all the above linen at the most reasonable prices.

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PLATT EXPECTS TO WIN.

Says He is Indifferent to the Reports to the Contrary—No Opposition on the Part of Gov. Odell.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Senator Platt was emphatic today on the subject of rumor mongers who drew upon their imagination for information as to the political situation in New York State.

"You can't kill a lie by stating the truth," said the Senator, "so it is idle for me to contradict many recently launched as political news. There would be a new one sent as soon as the one of the minute before had been disposed of. As far as they relate to me personally, they leave me indifferent. I know that I am a candidate for reelection as United States Senator, and I expect to be reelected.

"I pay no attention whatever to all reports to the contrary which have been printed. I know that there is no foundation in them, no more than there is in the report that there is opposition to me on the part of Gov. Odell and a number of upstart Republicans. These stories about dissensions and lack of harmony in the Republican party of this State are absolutely lies."

OPEN BOARD OF TRADE.

Enters into Arrangements With Western Union Which Bid Fair to Make it a Formidable Rival.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—Arrangements, which have been completed between the Chicago Open Board of Trade, and the Western Union Telegraph Company, bid fair to make the former institution a formidable rival for the larger one across the street.

On Monday morning the quotations of the open board will be put on the Western Union wires an hour in advance of the figures furnished by the Chicago Board of Trade.

It is understood that the open board and the telegraph company have entered into a contract covering a period of ten years; the telegraph company paying a remuneration on a graduated scale, a nominal rate for the first year, to be increased each twelve months.

It is also announced that negotiations have been consummated whereby the old open board building on LaSalle street will be remodelled by the Illinois Trust and Savings Bank, which controls the property, for the benefit of the open board. With commodious quarters, and the coöperation of the Western Union, the officials of the open board see no reason why they cannot cut a notable figure in the commercial transactions of LaSalle street.

Catarrh Can Be Cured.

Catarrh is a kindred ailment of consumption, long considered incurable; and yet there is one remedy that will positively cure catarrh in any of its stages. For many years this remedy was used by the late Dr. Stevens, a widely noted authority on all diseases of the throat and lungs. Having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, and desiring to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge to all sufferers from catarrh, asthma, consumption and nervous diseases, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing, with stamp, naming this paper, W. A. Noyes, 847 Powers Block, Rochester, N. Y.

$60 Kansas City and Return Jan. 8 and 9.

Go One Way—Return Another.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC

261 South Spring St.

SHIP IN DISTRESS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—The American ship St. David is drifting about on the North Pacific dismasted and short of provisions. The Japanese liner America Maru, which has reached port from the Orient, spoke the steamship off the Japanese coast December 8. The St. David is bound from Manila for Tacoma in ballast. Her main topmast was gone, and most of the top rigging of the other masts was gone.

Capt. Going sent a boatload of provisions to the St. David, and took off one man, Harry John Johnson, an ordinary seaman of Los Angeles. He said that he was shipped at Manila, and at the same time Capt. Harrington had given up the command of the St. David to Capt. Ryder, who went from here to take command of the vessel after Capt. Harrington left here, and at that time Capt. Ryder understood that the ship was well enough provisioned to make the voyage to Tacoma. In a few days' time, they found that there was practically no provisions on board, and for days they had been living on salt beef, flour and tea. There was nothing else in the line of eatables on board. One of the men died from illness thought to have been brought on by starvation.

When fifty days out from Manila and only about eighty-five miles off the Japan coast, a typhoon struck them. With the men all starving, and the vessel in a bad way eight days passed before the steamer hove in sight. With fresh provisions, Capt. Ryder thought he might be able to get his vessel to Yokohama for repairs.

FIRST EARTH TURNED.

DENVER, Jan. 2.—The first shovelful of earth on the Denver, Northwestern and Pacific Railway was turned this morning by a construction gang of graders at a point eight miles from Marshall, and opposite South Boulder Creek Cañon. There was no ceremony, but at 7:15 o'clock the contractors, Orman & Crook, had 200 men begin work.

Orman said: "As rapidly as possible we will place 3000 or 4000 men at work, and there will be no delays."

SPORTING RECORD.

MUNROE AFTER JEFF'S SCALP.

Tommy Ryan Will Train Him for Battle.

Manager Ball Thinks He Has a World-beater.

Only One Favorite Wins Ingleside Race—Crescent City Card—Northwest League.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Jack Munroe, who gained a decision over Champion Jeffries in a four-round bout at Butte, Mont., recently, is out after the latter's scalp, to gain the world's championship. Munroe, according to his manager, Clark Ball, has accepted the offer of Tommy Ryan to train him for his battle with the boilermaker.

Word has been received from Butte that Ball is willing to take up Ryan's offer, and will arrive in Chicago in about ten days to meet the middleweight champion and arrange for him to take charge of the big miner and prepare him for the struggle. Ball, it is said, believes that Munroe has the making of a future champion, and will be able to defeat Jeffries, or at least give him a great battle.

Tommy Ryan is in Kansas City, and will not be here for two or three days. He went there the last week of the old year to dispose of some flat buildings that he owned, but will be back here again in time to meet Ball, if the latter comes East to confer with him regarding the training of Munroe. Ryan handled Jeffries from the time he was Corbett's sparring partner, when the latter was training for his championship fight at Carson City with Fitzsimmons, and taught him the fine points of the boxing art, making him proficient enough to defeat the Cornishman.

TWELVE-INNING GAME.

NEITHER TEAM COULD WIN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—The Americans and Nationals played a twelve-inning game today to a tie, to a small crowd. Chesbro was hit rather hard at times, while Joss kept them scattered.

All Americans, 3; hits, 12, errors, 1.
Nationals, 3; hits, 8; errors, 2.
Batteries—Joss and Sullivan; Chesbro and Leahy.

INGLESIDE SPORT.

ONLY ONE FAVORITE WON.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—Ballroom Belle was the only favorite to win at Ingleside today. The weather was cold and the track muddy, especially on the inside. There were several close finishes. Ballroom Belle and Prestano both landing by narrow margins. The last-named was a "good thing," and beat Bernota a nose. Burns, on Greenfield, carried Axminster into the deep going in the fifth race, and but for that the favorite would have won. Summary:

Futurity course, selling: Rose of Hilo, 103 (Burns,) 5 to 1, won; Tortilla, 105 (Minder,) 6 to 1, second; Angelino, 108 (Bullman,) 8 to 1, third; time 1:15. Esterneli, Nona B., Ben Magen, Intrepido, Wachusett, Corillo, Fausturo and Mellocole also ran.

Six furlongs, selling: Ripper, 101. (Reed,) 16 to 5, won; Andrew Ring, 109 (Birkenduth,) 6 to 5, second; Tamm, 109 (Burns,) 10 to 1, third; time 1:19. Walter H., Ante and Indina also ran.

Seven furlongs, selling: Goldone, 107 (Carson,) 11 to 1, won; Star Cotton, 104 (Minder,) 9 to 2, second; Illillouon, 109 (Ransch,) 7 to 2, third; time 1:32. Saintly, Lone Fisherman, Mission, Castine, Dwight Way, John and Halmetta also ran.

Five and a half furlongs, selling: Ballroom Belle, 105 (C. Kelly,) 11 to 5, won; Quintre, 105 (Waterbury,) 7 to 1, second; Gus Lanka, 104 (Birkenruth,) 3 to 1, third; time 1:11. Salver, Stunts and Leash also ran.

Mile and seventy yards, selling: Greyfield, 108 (Burns,) 5 to 1, won; Expedient, 108 (Ransch,) 9 to 1, second; Axminster, 110 (Bullman,) 8 to 5, third; time 1:49¼. Constellator and Larry Wilt also ran.

Futurity course, selling: Prestano, 105 (Minder,) 7 to 1, won; Bernota, 110 (Bullman,) 10 to 1, second; Matt Hogan, 113 (Burns,) 8 to 5, third; time 1:15. Muresca, Educate, Idoro, Ting-a-Ling and Jim Brownell also ran.

OFFER TO MEET WOODS.

M'CAREY WIRES TO NEILL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Manager McCarey of the Century Athletic Club at Los Angeles wired to Al Neill an offer today to meet Billy Woods the latter part of January, and the date will be accepted, if a return match with Tom Reilly can be brought off at Oakland in the meantime. Reilly is certainly entitled to first consideration, and Billy Lavigne wants a bout for his Acme Club during the next two weeks.

Neill wants a shade lower weight in another fight with Reilly. When they met before, it was at 154 pounds at 5 o'clock, but 152 would be more acceptable to the Californian. For Woods, McCarey has asked 158 pounds at the ringside. Neill intends to fight oftener in future, and has told Morris Levy to arrange a couple of "goes" a month, if possible.

Crescent City Results.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 2.—Crescent City summary:

First race, five furlongs: Tioga won, Gloria Mundi second, Brush By third; time 1:06 4-5.

Second race, selling, six furlongs: Alpaca won, Flora Levy second, Jim King third; time 1:20 4-5.

Third race, seven furlongs: Ben Frost won, Robert G. Lansing second, Malster third; time 1:35 4-5.

Fourth race, seven furlongs: St. Tammany won, Belvino second, Apuda third; time 1:33 4-5.

Fifth race, five and a half furlongs: Star and Garter won, Glennevis second, Pirate third; time 1:11 4-5.

Sixth race, selling, mile and a sixteenth: Fake won, Eliza Bell second, Bean third; time 1:58.

Famous Horse Dead.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Parole, the noted racehorse, is dead from old age. He ran under the late Pierre Lorillard's colors in England and won the City and Suburban Handicap at Epsom in 1879. Parole was nearly 30 years of age. He was by Leaming, out of Maiden.

CABLE.

(CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE.)

President to the message of Secretary Cooper:

WHITE HOUSE,
Washington, Jan. 2.

Hon. Henry E. Cooper, Secretary, Hawaii, Honolulu: The President sends through you to Gov. Dole and the people of Hawaii his hearty congratulations upon the opening of the cable. He believes that it will tend to make the people of Hawaii more closely knit than ever to their fellow-citizens of the mainland, and will be for the great advantage of all our people.

[Signed] GEORGE B. CORTELYOU,
Secretary to the President.

TOKENS OF APPRECIATION.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Clarence H. Mackay, president of the Postal Telegraph and Cable Company and the Commercial Pacific Cable Company, has received messages from Honolulu and the Pacific Coast relative to the successful landing of the table at Honolulu and its connection at San Francisco with the overland line of the Postal Telegraph and Cable Company. The first is from the Secretary of Hawaii, and was sent by him during the absence of Gov. Dole:

HONOLULU, Jan. 1, 1903.

Clarence H. Mackay, president Commercial Pacific Cable Company: We send this token of our appreciation of the completion of the great enterprise undertaken by your company of laying a telegraphic cable from the coast of California to these islands. Mingled with our joy, there is a feeling of deep regret that John W. Mackay did not live to see the completion of his project, and we assure you that his name will ever be cherished in fond remembrance by our people.

[Signed] HENRY E. COOPER,
Secretary of Hawaii.

The following also was received here:

HONOLULU, Jan. 1, 1903.—George G. Ward, New York: Congratulations on completion of first link of new system. Great excitement here. Everything passed off without a hitch. Mailing papers, and will write fully first opportunity. Warmest New Year's greeting.

[Signed] GAINES.

The following came from San Francisco:

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 1, 1903.—Mr. Clarence H. Mackay, New York: The California Promotion Committee, representing the commercial and industrial and financial interests of the State, heartily congratulate you on the completion of the Pacific cable from San Francisco to the Sandwich Islands. The gratitude of the people of San Francisco and California is due to you for this great enterprise, commenced by your worthy father and completed by his deserving son. San Francisco is proud of her illustrious son, and wishes him success in all his laudable enterprise.

[Signed]
CALIFORNIA PROMOTION COMMITTEE, by SBARBORO, chairman.

The following was received from Gov. Gage:

EXECUTIVE BOARD, San Francisco, Jan. 1, 1903.—Clarence Mackay, New York: The fortunate accomplishment today of the grand plan of laying the cable between California and Hawaii, designed and promoted by your revered father, which has been well executed by you and your able and distinguished associates, marks an important epoch in the history of the world. The binding of the Hawaiian Islands and our State with the electric wires is another splendid instance of the triumph of American brain and industry, for which you, your father and your joint managers and assistants in the enterprise will be ever gratefully remembered by the people of this State.

[Signed] HENRY T. GAGE.

From the Chamber of Commerce:

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 1, 1903.—Clarence H. Mackay, New York: Please accept for yourself and the officers of the Commercial Pacific Cable Company, our cordial congratulations on the success of the first link in the great Pacific Ocean cable, for the completion of which we are so much indebted to you.

[Signed]
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE of San Francisco, by George A. Newhall, president.

From the San Francisco Board of Trade:

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 1, 1903.—Mr. Clarence H. Mackay, New York: Greetings and congratulations to yourself and associates upon your deserved success in laying the cable from San Francisco to Honolulu; May your great venture prove beneficial to our commercial interests.

[Signed]
A. A. WATKINS, president Board of Trade of San Francisco.

TO HONOLULU MERCHANTS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—Over the newly-laid cable to Honolulu, the following message to the Merchants' Association of Honolulu has been sent by the Merchants' Association of this city:

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2, 1903.—Merchants' Association of Honolulu, F. W. McFarlane, president, 400 Judd Building, Honolulu: The Merchants' Association of San Francisco send cordial greetings to its brother association in Honolulu, and hailing the dawn of a day which unites us in closer ties of friendship, rejoices also at the opportunity for an enlarged field of usefulness to each.

[Signed]
MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION of San Francisco, by Frank J. Simes, president.

CABLE COMPANY PLEASED.

WILL PRESS TOWARD MANILA.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Clarence H. Mackay, president; George C. Ward, vice-president and general manager, and other officials of the Commercial Pacific Cable Company, are greatly pleased at the completion of the company's cable between San Francisco and Hawaii, a work to which they have devoted much energy and time during the last few months. They do not propose to stop at Hawaii, however, and now say that by July 4 they expect the cable will have been completed to Manila. Speaking of the project, Ward said:

"The Commercial Pacific Cable Company's cable to Hawaii was connected through to San Francisco at 8:45 p.m. January 1 (Honolulu time.) The cable will open for public business on Monday, January 5. The widespread interest created by bringing the Hawaiian Islands into electrical touch with the Pacific Coast is evidenced by congratulatory telegrams received today.

"It is of particular satisfaction to us to have the cable completed on the first day of the new year, because it fulfills our promise to Congress. Rapid progress is being made in the manufacture of the section to be laid between Honolulu and Manila, and over thirty-five hundred miles of this cable has already been manufactured. I fully expect messages will be exchanged with Manila by the 4th of July next. The laying of the remaining sections will commence from Manila the first week in May next."

MESSAGES A-FLYING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—The new Pacific cable has been crowded with messages ever since the first flutter can through the water from Honolulu, shortly after 11 o'clock New Year's night. Three different operators took turns at the San Francisco instrument for nineteen consecutive hours today.

When the cable was given over to the contractors tonight, to test its qualities and the instruments for four hours, no less than nine thousand words had passed between San Francisco and Honolulu. Every syllable so far sent through the cable has been without pay. About five hundred congratulatory messages went through, averaging ten words to the message at the regular rate of 50 cents a word, it would have meant $2500 for the company.

These congratulatory messages were from the public officials of Hawaii, and the public bodies of the islands, from the different governors of the Coast States, from various chambers of commerce, and boards of trade of the Pacific Slope; from several large commercial houses, and from prominent private individuals at both ends of the wire.

Tomorrow and next day the cable will still be open for complimentary messages to pass. Monday morning the line will be regularly opened for paid messages at the rate of 50 cents a word for private persons, and 20 cents a word for press messages.

Not only English messages, but cablegrams in French, German and Portuguese came through from Honolulu today.

LABOR.

STILL CONFERRING OVER UNION PACIFIC STRIKE.

OUTLOOK FOR AGREEMENT STILL CONSIDERED GOOD.

According to Advices Received in Omaha Piece-work Proposition and Employment of Non-Union Men are Bones of Contention.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Another conference was held this afternoon at the Union Pacific Railroad offices in this city with reference to a settlement of the differences between the heads of the road and certain of its employés.

At the close of the conference it was said that no actual agreement had been reached, though matters were tending toward an amicable settlement. Another conference will be held next Tuesday.

BONES OF CONTENTION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

OMAHA, Jan. 2.—Local strike leaders have been advised by their representatives in the East that indications point to the piece-work proposition, and the disposition of local strike breakers as the two bones of contention in the efforts at settling the Union Pacific strike. Outlines of two proposed agreements, one submitted by each contending faction, have been received by mail. The strikers, while declining to make public these documents, say there is nothing objectionable in the company's proposition except that part which deals with piece work, and local non-union shop men. There is harmony as to the shop rules, and apparently as to the schedule of wages.

The strikers insist that all non-union men and piece work must go.

YEAR'S SUGAR MARKET.

Decline in Price of Raw and a Larger Comparative Decline in Refined Sugar. Cubans Forced by Poverty to Realize.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Willet & Gray, in making a review of the sugar market for the year 1902, mention the following results, namely: A decline in price of raw sugars to 3¼ cents per pound for 96 test centrifugals, the lowest price ever touched in the history of trade, and later recovery to the more nearly normal price of 4 cents per pound, and the larger comparative decline in refined sugar, which, at the low point of 4.21 cents per pound, was only 52 cents per hundred pounds above the price of raw sugars. The conditions in the islands of Cuba which lowered the price of raw sugars there to 1.40 cents per pound, free on board, a price fully half a cent a pound below the actual cost of production, and the brightening prospects of the entire sugar world at the close of the year, give encouragement for a higher level of values everywhere.

The first of these extremely-low prices was directly caused by the oversupply of sugars in the world, the increased production from various crops being 1,294,657 tons above the preceding year, while the increase in the world's consumption was only about 500 tons. As regards the island of Cuba, the poverty of the planters made it necessary for them to realize on their crops at the extreme low point of the year, notwithstanding the vigorous efforts they made to hold their crops in the hopes of reduction in duties, which hopes proved elusive, and the entire crop of 1901-02 had to be disposed of under unfavorable conditions. That crop amounted to 850,181 tons, an advance from the 1895-96 crop of 215,325 tons.

OIL CLAIM LOCATERS.

Only a Few Have Returned to Evanston—Fear That Blizzard May Cause Loss of Life.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

EVANSTON (Wyo.) Jan. 2.—The situation in the Wyoming oil fields remains practically unchanged. The full story of the conflict may not be had for weeks on account of the immense tract to be covered. Of the hundreds of locating parties leaving here December 30, and 31, but a small percentage have returned, and in some instances grave fears are entertained as to their safety.

This evening, weather conditions indicate a heavy storm, and if a blizzard, so common in this section, should set in, many locating parties may be lost.

GIFT TO PRESIDENT.

Frenchmen Wish to Recognize His Services in the Cause of International Arbitration.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PARIS, Jan. 2.—[By Atlantic Cable.] A proposal has been made to present a piece of sculpture to President Roosevelt in recognition of his service to the cause of international arbitration. The idea to make this gift to the American President is an outgrowth of the Venezuelan affair, and his attitude on that question. The funds will probably be raised by private subscription among European advocates of peace.

It is proposed that the work be executed by a French sculptor, or the committee may possibly invite designs from the sculptors of all nations party to The Hague peace court.

MINES AND MINING.

INSTALLING BIG PLANT AT BLACK DIAMOND MINE.

TWO-HUNDRED-TON SMELTER IS AMONG IMPROVEMENTS.

Local Capital and Brains Engineering Work—New Placer Prospect Near Randsburg—Depew Interested in Desert Property—Platinum Strike.

Extensive are the improvements being made by the Black Diamond Mining Company under the management of N. O. Bagget of this city. This company has one of the big low-grade copper propositions in Arizona, and its property, situated near Commonwealth, has already been opened up to a considerable extent.

The installing of a smelter with a capacity of 200 tons is now in progress, and in speaking of the work yesterday Mr. Bagget stated the plant would probably be in operation by February 1. "We have just completed a large tramway; it is a mile and a half in length, and will have, when in full operation, a capacity of handling 600 tons of ore a day. At present we are running it only eight hours and have no trouble in conveying 100 tons of ore from the mines to the smelter site."

Development now consists of two miles of underground work, and a large force of miners are now employed on the property. The ore is pure sulphide and carries 5 per cent. copper, and two ounces of silver to every 1 per cent. of copper, besides about $1.50 in gold to the ton.

Frank H. Crockard, one of the managers of the United States Steel Corporation, is president of the company. Mr. Bagget, who is manager of the Black Diamond, will leave for the property tomorrow.

In the same district, the Dragoon Copper Mining and Smelting Company is opening up promising ore bodies on property adjoining the Black Diamond. A gasoline hoist is now being installed, and other improvements made.

BIG PLACER PROSPECT.

A survey has just been made for the Red Rock Gravel Mining Company, that is planning to open up a property near Randsburg. Plans for development work adopted include the installing of a seventy-five horse power gasoline engine for the pumping plant; this, it is expected, will raise 1,500,000 gallons of water every twenty-four hours.

Backers of the company, which is composed principally of Randsburg men, are confident they have one of the biggest placer opportunities in the country. Considerable gold has been taken from the sides of the cañon, but it is the intention to sink to bed-rock where, it is believed, the gravel will be found very rich. If successful in tapping the gravel at the depth estimated, it will be raised thirty feet to the surface and dumped into sluice boxes and worked out.

The principal backers of the company include G. W. Lloyd, C. Lloyd, W. D. Baney, C. E. Van Meter and W. A. McGinn.

DEPEW'S MINING VENTURE.

Articles of incorporation of the Benjamin E. Chase Mining Company have been filed in San Bernardino. Los Angeles is named as the principal place of business, and the mines are located at Camp Rochester, on the desert. The company is capitalized at $500,000, of which $11,000 has been subscribed, Senator Chauncey M. Depew of New York is one of the directors.

PLATINUM DISCOVERY MADE.

Platinum, the real article, has been found eight miles east of Prescott in the vicinity of the White Horse mines. Platinum is very rare, especially in Arizona, but it is believed that the new find, which is reported by C. A. Whipple of Prescott, will prove a valuable one. An analysis of the ore shows a fair percentage of platinum, some gold and other precious metal.

CONCENTRATES.

The December clean-up of the Butte mine, from eighty-nine tons of ore at the Red Dog mill, resulted in three bars, worth a trifle over $6000, or about $68 a ton.

The Minnesota-Conner Company is installing an electric plant on its property in Mojave county, Ariz., and it will be in operation in a few days. The mine is said to be one of the best equipped in the country, and to have a rich body of ore, which is now being blocked out.

The Alma Mining Company, at Carbo, Sonora, is developing its property, and has 1500 feet of shafts and levels.

IMPORTANT GOLD STRIKE.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

RIVERSIDE, Jan. 2.—Word reached here today, through Forest Ranger Brooks of the San Jacinto reservation, of a rich strike of gold ore, assaying over $3000 to the ton, which it is stated has been made at the Crystal Spring mine, fifty miles southeast of here in the San Jacinto Mountains in the Turquoise mining district.

MINING ACTIVITY.

KERN SHOWS NEW EVIDENCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BAKERSFIELD, Jan. 2.—Two hundred and fifty mining locations and 250 proofs of labor have been filed during the past two days with the County Recorder. Many former locations expired on the first of the year, and many of these have been relocated.

These locations do not, for the most part, come from the oil section of the country, but from the auriferous districts around Amalie, where a great deal of prospecting is carried on. The prospects for a smelter in Bakersfield have greatly stimulated the mining industry, and many deposits of ore are now being located. The oil locations come chiefly from Sunset and McKittrick, where there is considerable unoccupied land of speculative value.

SAN FRANCISCO MINING STOCKS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Andes	4	Mexican	78
Belcher	23	Occidental Con	21
Best & Belcher	120	Ophir	140
Bullion	4	Overman	63
Caledonia	220	Potosi	60
Challenge Con	77	Savage	21
Choliar	19	Sag Belcher	14
Confidence	105	Sierra Nevada	54
Con. Cal. & Va	140	Silver Hill	100
Crown Point	21	Union Con	14
Gould & Curry	78	Utah Con	6
Hale & Norcross	47	Yellow Jacket	57
Justice	13		

FUNERAL OF COL. DICKEY.

OMAHA, Jan. 2.—The funeral of Col. John J. Dickey occurred from the family residence, "Aloha," near Benson, today. In addition to a large number of local persons of prominence, about fifty Western Union officials from all over the country attended the services, which were conducted by Rev. John Williams of the Episcopal Church. The honorary pallbearers were Count Creighton, E. M. Morsman, George F. Bidwell, Senator Millard, Belvidere Brooks, Theodore P. Cook and Gen. Henderson.

POPE OPOSES DUELLING.

ROME, Jan. 2.—The Pope is about to issue an encyclical against the practice of duelling. He will appeal to all Christian governments to suppress the practice, which is described as a survival of the Middle Ages.

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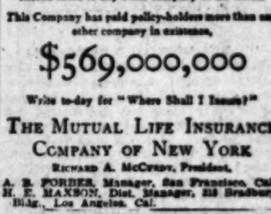

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ITALIANS FIGHT TO DEATH.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, Jan. 2.—Seven Italian peddlers became involved in a drunken brawl here last night and fought desperately with knives and revolvers. Two of the men were killed instantly, two died tonight in the hospital, and the fifth was fatally, and the sixth man seriously wounded. The seventh man, who did most of the killing, was not hurt. Thirty revolver shots were fired in two minutes. The men concerned were brothers and cousins.

JEWS NOT NATURALIED.

BUCHAREST (Roumania) Jan. 2.—The statement sent out December 27 to the effect that the Roumanian Senate had agreed to the naturalization of Jews in Roumania was erroneous and arose from misapprehension of the occurrence. The discussion in the Senate that day arose over a petition for naturalization of an individual Jew, and did not concern the naturalization of Jews in general. The petitioner's request was granted.

SLAUGHTER OF RABBITS.

SALT LAKE (Utah) Jan. 2.—A jackrabbit hunt by the farmers and ranchers of Juab county, in which scores of expert shots from other parts of the State took part, has just been concluded, resulting in the slaughter of over three thousand of the pest.

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Men's high cut, oil-grain Hunting Boots, regular $4.00 grade, removal price $3.15
Boys' "Messenger Boys" $2.00 value, removal price $1.50
Boys' Satin Calf Shoe, "Brigade," $2 value, removal price $1.25
Child's Fine Kid Turn Shoes, lace or button, $1.25 grade, removal price $1.00
Women's Kid Lace or Button Shoes, $2 grade, removal price $1.49
Women's Fine Kid Shoes, flexible soles, the famous $2 "Try Me" shoes, removal price $1.65
Women's Patent Leather Welt Shoes, stylish last, "Rosella Shoe," $3.50 shoe, removal price $2.95
Women's Patent Kid Shoes, welt soles, stylish last, good value at $3.50, Removal price $3.50
Women's Kid Oxfords, extension soles, stylish lasts, good value at $2, removal price $1.50
Women's Patent Colt Oxfords, welt soles, up to date style, good value at $3.50, removal price $2.50
Women's Fine Kid Lace Shoes, French heels, regular $3.50 grade, removal price $2.95
Women's Patent Enamel Lace Shoes, heavy welt soles, stylish last, $3.50 grade, removal price $2.45
Women's Fine Kid Lace Shoes, welt or McKay sewed soles, $3.00 grade, removal price $2.50
Women's Patent Leather Oxfords, welt soles, stylish last, regular $3 shoe, removal price $1.95
Women's Fine Kid Shoes in lace or button, $2.00 grade, removal price $1.25

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THE OIL INDUSTRY

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Closing bids and offers for oil stocks were:

Alpha	12½
Associated	$ 61½
Crown Chanslor	3.50
Continental	....
Central	....
Fullerton Oil	....
Fullerton Consolidated	....
Home	....
Home Crude	....
Home Sam	....
Imperial Petroleum	....
Junction	....
Kern	....
Kern River Consolidated	....
Monte Cristo	....
Westlake	....
Whittier Consolidated	....

For listed mining stocks offers were as follows:

Golden Argus	Bids.
Mexican	$16.00

For unlisted mining stocks were as follows:

Arizona & Ark. C. T. & L.	Bids.
Arizona Giant	....
Buttle Lode	....
Bodie West	25.00
Bodie King	....
Bisbee Bells	23½
Greene Consolidated	....
Mountain	34.

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Alpha	.01½	.02
Associated	5.50	7.00
Centennial	.25	.27
Central	.03	....
Crescent	.16	....
Fulton Oil	.10½	.12½
Fulton Consolidated	.25	.26
Home	.12½	.14½
Lion Creek	.33½	.35
Mint Petroleum	98.50	.99½
Peerless	.02	....
Reed	.90	....
Reserve Consolidated	.61	....
Southern	.02½	.03½
Westmar Consolidated	....	.03½

For listed mining stocks offers were:

	Bid.	Asked.
Golden Anchor	$16.00	....

For unlisted mining stocks offers were as follows:

	Bid.	Asked.
Arizona & Ark. C. Z. & L.	$	$ .06
Atlanta Giant	....	.03½
Battle Creek	28.00	....
Belden West	.10	....
Belden Bell	.12½	.25
Crescent Consolidated	24.75	26.00
Dutch Flinkel Copper	....	.10
Empire Gold	....	.16½
Fay Claim	....	.25
Fay Comstock	.07½	.12½
Fremont Treasure	....	.12
Providence G. & C.	....	1.25
Rose Hills Copper	....	.04
Santa Ana Hill	.23	.27
Silver Chance	....	.06
Tavern Copper	.40	.47½
Tonopah	....	.50
Yellow Aster	.20	....

PETROLEUM MARKET.

The average grade of local fuel oil is quoted at from 50 to 60 cents a barrel at the wells. Oil of less than thirteen gravity finds a market at from 40 to 50 cents a barrel.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P. M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—At the morning session of the Oil Stock Exchange sales were made at following figures: 2500 Independence, 7 cents; 500 Independence, 8 cents.

Crown Prince Frederick William of Germany has accepted an invitation of the Czar to visit His Majesty at St. Petersburg, in the middle of January.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Edward Mahar to Sabina Mahar, lots 19 and 20, block 4, Central Home place, $10.

Francis Helen Banks to William A Clement, undivided half interest of lot 4, Block 8, A Hawks addition, $500.

James A Keeney to Frank C Perew, part lot 12, Marlborough tract, $4250.

Minna Bowers and George M Bowers to Daniel M Linnard, part lot 4, subdivision of lot 10, block C, San Pasqual tract, $10.

Daniel M Linnard and Emely J Linnard to Pasadena Syndicate, part lot 4, subdivision of lot 10, block C, San Pasqual tract, $10.

Fannie Campbell Gregory to Elmer E Nye, part lot 24, Lick tract, $10.

Amelia Axton to A C Hillier, lot 41, Extension of Nob Hill tract, $25.

I C Hiller and F T Hiller to Kate Wing Sprowls, lot 41, extension of Nob Hill tract, $10.

William Stewardson and Jane Stewardson to Marshall Lewis, lot 14, Solano tract, $10.

Thomas N Newell and Laura I Newell to Norman B Shaeff, lots 2 and 3, block 14, East Whittier Rancho, $500.

Mary E Garnett (formerly Mary E Swain) and W E Garnett to T N Newell, lot 4, block 14, East Whittier Rancho, $10.

Levi D Rich and Mann Rich to Thomas A Davis, part lots 25 and 26, Kennedy tract addition, $1100.

Jane Harvey and J T Harvey to Harry M Baldwin and Louisa Baldwin, lot 4, block 25, Electric Railway Homestead Association, $10.

Della W Chase to Annie M Schulte, lot 29, Wright tract, $2500.

Annie M Schulte to Charlotte Schulte, lot 26, Wright tract, $10.

Morris Klein to Josefa O de Hualde, rel of lot 24, S E Hall's subdivision from judgment, etc.

Josefa Marticorena de Oxarart de Hualde, guardian of estate of Simon Oxarart, Domingo Oxarart, Jose Oxarart, Juan Oxarart and Maria Oxarart (minors) to Lewis B Johnson (sometimes known as L B Johnson,) undivided two-thirds interest in lot 24, S E Hall's subdivision, $622.22.

Josefa Marticorena Oxarart de Hualde (formerly Josefa Marticorena de Oxarart) to Lewis B Johnson, undivided no-third interest in lot 24, S E Hall's subdivision, $100.22.

Josefa Marticorena de Oxarart de Hualde to Lewis B Johnson, lot 21, S E Hall's subdivision, $5.

Jane Liddell to B H Potter, lots 1, 2, and 3, Dunham's subdivision, $10.

James Keeney, George Kislingbury and Lottie E Kislingbury to Francis R Searl, lots 25 and 26, Mattison's High Level Table Land tract, $10.

William A Stewart and Caroline B Stewart to Mary E Kiel, lot 6, block 22, Garvanza, Addition No. 1, $10.

May Bunce and Mark Bunce to Harry M Crowell, part lots 118 and 119, Kohler tract, $10.

Union Trust and Realty Company to West Adams Heights Association, lots 1 to 30, block 1; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, block 2; lots 1 to 8, block 3; lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 28, block 4; lots 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 9, 10, 23, 24, 25 and 26, block 7; lots 2, 3, 5, 7 and 13 to 19, block 8; lot 25, block 9; lots 2, 3, 5, 6 and 7, block 10; lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 17, 18, 30 to 35, block 11; lots 1 to 14, block 12; lots 1 to 25, block 13, and lots 1 to 24, block 15, West Adams Heights tract, $10.

West Adams Heights Association to Union Trust and Realty Company, lot 18, block 9, West Adams Heights tract, $10.

West Adams Heights Association to Union Trust and Realty Company, lot 29, block 6, West Adams Heights tract, $10.

West Adams Heights Association to Union Trust and Realty Company, lot 24, block 9, West Adams Heights tract, $10.

West Adams Heights Association to Union Trust and Realty Company, part lots 16 and 17, block 2, West Adams Heights tract, $20.

West Adams Heights Association to Union Trust and Realty Company, part lots 17 and 18, block 2, West Adams Heights tract, $10.

West Adams Heights Association to Union Trust and Realty Company, lot 19, block 9, West Adams Heights tract, $10.

West Adams Heights Association to Union Trust and Realty Company, lot 18, block 8, West Adams Heights tract, $10.

West Adams Heights Association to Union Trust and Realty Company, lot 28, block 7, West Adams Heights tract, $10.

Eva A Clann to Newton W Thompson, lot 13, block D, H W Stanton's subdivision, $10.

Enoch Knight and Mary Blachley Knight to Newton W Thompson, lot 8, block A, H W Stanton's subdivision, $10.

Orange County Savings Bank to O H Hayes, lots 4, 5 and 6, block D, Legge's Central tract, $275.

Sarah C Borrels to John J Jones, lot 1, Wever tract, $10.

John J Jones to R W Poindexter, lot 1, Wever tract, $10.

Jacob A Bowers to Pauline Schulz, part lot 7, block M, Barrett Villa tract, $1700.

N C Carter and Anetta M Carter to Mrs Nettie Hatfield, lot 1, Dentsch subdivision, $375.

Narcissa Duncan to E F Kleinmeyer, part section 27, 2 south 12, $250.

Louis Portune to William Hyler, part lot 28, containing 139.79 acres marked Jesurum & Boderick, etc., $750.

Hulda Leon to Charles W Hardy, part lot 77, Ords Survey, $15.

William G Bradshaw and Nellie A Bradshaw to E Freau Morcom, lots 19, 20 and 21, block 11, Ralph Rogers's subdivision, $10.

P Francis McGowan and Elizabeth A McCowan to J A Hubinger and Mary E Hubinger, part lot 12, Wallace Bros subdivision, $25.

P Francis McGowan and Elizabeth A McGowan to Minnie P Mayo, lot 13, Wallace Bros subdivision, $325.

Jacobine Koch to Gustave Koch, lots 41 and 42, Sanborn tract, $275.

Jacob Miller and Dorothea Miller to Lilore K O'Bryan, part section 9, 1 south 14, $2500.

Estate of Emma W Parker, deceased, order vacating order confirm sale of real estate made on 10-14-02 as far as same relates C R Elsberry.

Ancestory Estate Co to Domingo Ibasso lot at southeast corner Aliso street and Alameda street, $10.

Cyrus McDonald and Margaret McDonald to T G and T Co, lots 78 and 79, Myer tract, $10.

W H Nash and Sarah G Nash to Katie Sidles, lot 16, block F, Barrett Villa tract, $10.

Caroline Walkley to Albert Hackbart, lots 4 and 5, Wallace Bros subdivision, $10.

Henry C Draves and Mary E Draves to W M Wagner and Lina Wagner, part lot 30 Lick tract, $750.

Minnie E Stuart to Edward T Sherer, part lot F, Temple & Gibson tract, $10.

Hermosa Beach Land and Water Company to Western Fuel, Gas and Power Company lot 2, block 75, Second addition to Hermosa Beach, $10.

Hermosa Beach Land and Water Company to Western Fuel, Gas and Power Company, right of way for gas mains and pipes along and under all streets and alleys of Hermosa Beach, $10.

F O Frazier to Mrs Anna McPherin Frazier, all interest in franchise granted me by Redondo Beach wherein is granted right of way to lay and maintain gas pipes mains, etc., under streets and alleys of city of Redondo Beach.

Mrs Anna McPherin Frazier to Western Fuel, Gas and Power Company, same.

Randolph W Hill to H C Sparks and Edgar N Bell, lot 8, Dr. Hill's resubdivision, $500.

Annie B Bishop to Katie B Raymond, lot 15 Daly tract, $1100.

Annie G Bishop, administratrix of estate of Charles Bishop, deceased, to Kate B Raymond, undivided one-half interestin in lot 15 Daly tract, $1100.

Estate of Lawrence Gerhard (minor) order confirming sale to Flora M Heywood undivided one-eighteenth interest in lot 36, block 2, Olive Clapp Orchard tract; to John Strain, undivided one-eighteenth interest in lot 28, block 2, Olive Clapp Orchard tract.

Title Guarantee and Trust Company to A T Nevins and Lydia A Nevins, reconveyance of trust property.

C T Douglass and S Alice Doubleday to H A Hackbert, lot 2, Wallace Bros subdivision, $200.

Adele Kracke and Henry Kracke to Edward Lewis Baker, lot 20, Lander tract, $10.

Jennie E Wilshire and William H Wilshire to J G Schmucker and Lizzie F Schmucker, lot 2, Wallace Bros tract, $625.

Mrs Emma J Howe to Daniel C Donaldson, part section 17, 1 south 10, $10.

Adolph Musse and Elizabeth Musse to William S Larcom, part section 17, 1 south 10, $ 0.

William M Hamlin and Harriet A Hamlin to J F Clark, lots 5, 6 and 7, William M Hamlin's resubdivision, $10.

Gitmar Bauer and Annie K Bauer to J F Waesch, part lot 87, Waverly tract, $10.

Frank Conlon and Cora A Conlon to Frank Starr, part section 21, 2 south, 11 west, $1000.

George W Branncomb and Nancy J Branncomb to Frank Conlon, part section 24, 2 south, 12, $2000.

Estate of Charles Bean, deceased, decree of distribution to Adeline C Bean, C Fred Bean, P Hersey Bean, Walter C Bean, Mary Ella Bean, Grace Paterson, Caroline Burwell, Jane L Bean and Olive Townsend, lots 22, 23 and 24, William Lacy's Addition property not in Los Angeles county.

Randolph W Hill to Robert William Jamison, lot 7, Dr Hill's resubdivision, $200.

Marcus Goldschmidt and Emma N Goldschmidt to S G Lehner, part lot 13 and all lot 16, block 1, Vignes tract, $500.

W S Bartlett and W E McVey to C Girard Bates, reconveyance of trust property.

Earl Humphrey and Mary Humphrey to Fred McLaughlin, part lots 1 and 2, Moore & Kelleher's subdivision, $50.

W Gilbert vs. Thomas W Kelly, John P Kelly, Joseph M Kelly, Home Investment Building and Loan Association, J A Adams Mrs J A Adams et al, decree quieting title in defendants, Thomas W Kelly, John P Kelly and Joseph M Kelly, lot 10, in block 11, Urmston tract.

S F Packwood and M F Packwood to Jacob Washabaugh, lots 5 and 6, block 88, Glendora tract, $125.

Clara B Carpenter and Charles C Carpenter to D O Shields, lots 1 and 2, block 85, Burbank, $10.

Leonard Perrin and Ellen Perrin to Thomas J McElroy, part lot 7, E Turner tract.

Victor Hugo Schwarting to M A Andrews, lots 26 and 28, Schwarting's subdivision, $850.

Thomas W Williams and Ruth M B Williams to Kate L Clough, lots 6 and 8, block 74, Long Beach, $650.

B F Dayman and Laura L Dayman to G W Needham, part lots 22, 23, 24 and 25, block C, Stanwood & Nash's subdivision, $10.

U V Barlow, Jane E Barlow, George H Bixby, trustee for Bank of Long Beach, and Bank of Long Beach to O W Needham, part lots 22, 23, 24 and 25, block C, Stanwood & Nash's subdivision, $10.

Charles Stone and Caroline Stone to G W Needham, lot 1, block 28, Long Beach, $10.

Frank B Benson and Margaret T Benson to Mrs F O Rowley, lot 11 and part lot 9, block 25, Long Beach, $10.

Helen C Carpenter to Mrs Lena Bridges and Miss Jessie Bridges, lots 24 and 25, block 139, Long Beach, $200.

Margaret L Gamel, A H Gamel, Ella M Van Duzee, Frederick N Van Duzee, Fred E Taylor, Ruth G Kniss Taylor, Everett G Kniss, Charlotte Kniss, Paul D Kniss and Madeline Kniss to Melissa A Reed, undivided one-tenth interest in part lot 2, Jewett's subdivision, and part lots 4 and 5, Mohr, Lowell & Granam's subdivision, $1.

Evaline M Ulmer to Silas M See, lot 15, block 5, Whittier, $220.

M P Storrs to Ida M Kline, part lot 514, Pomona, $50.

Annah E Lander to county of Los Angeles, part lot 30, Lick tract, $1.

Oren C Dunn, Mary Alice Dunn, John W Ragsdale and Ophelia W Ragsdale to county of Los Angeles, part lot 31, Lick tract, $1.

E L Allen, Caroline Lamb, Henry C Draves, Arthur H Carey and Janette E Wakeman to county of Los Angeles, part lots 28, 29, 30 and 31, Lick tract, $2.

Hubert McCormick and Jane McCormick to Etta I Geiger, lot 4, block K, Workman Para tract, $10.

John W Lincoln and Sarah R Lincoln to Martha A Wilson, lot 21, block B, Santa Fe tract, $10.

Lizzie A Moore and Melville L Moore to Ella M Hitchcock and William W Hitchcock to Cesare Iani, lot 9, block 2, Howes tract, $300.

J J Decker and Anna M Decker to Andrew Snyder, lot 2, Amos Wright's subdivision, $40.

R L Enloe to Harriet A Morris, lots 2 and 4, block 29, Long Beach, $750.

Joseph F Ulery and Susan Ulery to Frank S Mead, part lot 8, block A, Ambrose, Brown, Hoiey & Messenger's subdivision, $231.50.

Pomona Cemetery Association to M P Storrs, lot 514, Pomona Cemetery, $100.

Mattie W Hughes to J N Crane, lot 964, San Dimas, and lots 2, 3 and 7, replat San Dimas, $750.

E O Kendall and Belle B Kendall to Louise Bathelemy, lots 16 and 17, Andrews & Leeville's addition, $450.

Annie L Sundivan to Maurice H Newmark, lot 28, block 18, Ivanhoe, $1.

Beach Land Company to Ruth G Heritage, lot 14, block 7, Playa del Rey, $750.

Irven E Houser and Mattie E Houser to Austin H Peck, lot 26, block 17, Covina, $650.

Hermosa Beach Land and Water Company to C W Rogers, lot 9, block 38, Hermosa Beach addition, $10.

W P Jeffries to C L Brimhall, lot 1, block 7, Greenwell tract, $10.

Laura J Nelson and H W Nelson to Archie B Fox, lot 14, block B, Elliott's Ninth-street tract, $50.

Herbert B Bell to Miranda F Mooreman, part sec 3, N 12, $200.

Los Angeles Realty Syndicate to Kate Brown, lot 22, block 34, 23 Center tract, $2.50.

Hermosa Hill Syndicate, formerly Am Inv Syndicate, to Miss Jessie Hill, part lot 44, Westminster City tract, $10.

James W Erskine and Alice Leisure to Joseph R Sterrett and Amanda S Sterrett, part lots 75 and 76, Long Beach tract, $10.

R Morgan Galbraith to Theodore Wasendanger, lots 11 and 43, block 2, F M Scott tract, $30.

Emanuel Lewis Investment Company of San Francisco to H L Haley, lots 9, 10 and 11, block 3, Lewis tract, No 2, $10.

Elena Leone Anguisola and Emilia Maguire to R H Finney, lots 7 and 8, G A Swartwout's subdivision, $10.

Jo Louise Hutchinson and Mary I Hutchinson to Walter Longwell, lot 7 and part lot 6, block C, Monroe's addition to Monrovia tract, $20.

Robert E Campbell and Clara Campbell to C S Campbell, all undivided interest in pt. section 9 1 S 14 and lots 37 and 38, Plummer's subdivision, $482.

[illegible] Savings Bank to Union Trust and Realty Company, quitclaim to [illegible] Strong & Dickinson's subdivision tract.

George D Dickinson and Myra Dickinson to Jacob A Hamrick, lot 10, being a subdivision tract, $10.

William A Kilborn and Julia A Kilborn to George A Starling, lots 9 and 10, S A Hunt & Co's subdivision, $500.

Jacob S Wilber, E J Wilber and Rosina M Lewis to Barnard A Curtis, lot 31, Sierra Vista tract, $10.

J A Frame and M B Frame to Florence B Stevens, lot 15, Strong & Dickinson's Maple avenue tract, $10.

Charles Grimes, Florence E Grimes, Sherman Washburn and Emily C Washburn to H H Stockton, lot 3 and part lot 4, Wenzler & Stratton's subdivision, $50.

David S Brown and Flora S Brown to John B Pasley and Alice E Pasley, lot 16 and part lot 15, block 2, Lowell tract, $500.

Hannah Barton and George D Barron to J H Kennedy, part lot 2, lot 4, Temple & Gibson tract, $1.00.

[illegible] Russell to F B Clark, lots 260, 264, 265, 266 and 268, Hyde Park, $10.

Mrs Henry Leslie Gardner (formerly Addi Lindsey) to Hollis Lindsey, undivided half interest in lot 4, block 2, Adams Street Homestead tract, $200.

Azusa Foothill Citrus Company to August J Steinke and Elizabeth M Steinke, part block B, subdivision 1, lands of Azusa Land and Water Company, $1858.50.

Pacific Land Company to Ada V Smith, part block 25, Barrett Villa tract, $175.

Charles S McLagan to Henrietta W McLagan, part lot 1, block A, Hancock's Survey, gift.

Ella P Hubbard to M L Heisel, north 5 acres of Mrs Carey's tract, $1500.

Garnsey Investment Company to Esther A Newlin, lot 4, block 5, Kinney Heights tract, $50.

Thomas T Cunningham and Melvina J Cunningham to Mrs. Minnie Threse, lots 53 and 54, Hancock & Smith's second addition, $1750.

Los Angeles Cemetery Association to E A Truitt and A McEwen, part lot 4, Evergreen Cemetery, $25.

Same to Joseph Korber, part lot 1244, same, $100.

Same to Nettie A Hendee and Maggie A Beeman, part lot 4504 same, $250.

Same to S B and J A H Wallace, part lot 5316 same, $150.

Same to Albert McCall, part lot 4511 same, $150.

Same to Mrs Eva M Newkirk, part lot 16 same, $25.

Same to Mrs T H Lohman, lot 624, same, $100.

Same to William L Stahl, agreement to care for part lot 5004 same, $60.

Mattie Elizabeth MacColl to Charles Elmer MacColl, lot 138 Wilcoxinger S End tract, $10.

State to Frank J Waite and Helen MReed, certificate of redemption, lot 25, block 13, Walteria.

Carrie D Farris to Pasadena Cemetery Association, lot 521 Mountain View Cemetery.

E J Baldwin to Pacific Electric Railway Company, right to excavate and take out ballast material from bed of Santa Anita Wash., etc.

W H Holabird to James C Lewis, lot 11, block 1, Ames first subdivision, $10.

E F Kyser to Stephen O'Sullivan and Catherine O'Sullivan, agreement to convey lot 4 block H, Central Park tract.

A G Strain, F O Cass and Caroline E Cass to George S Marygold, part section 24, 7 north 14, $10.

City of Los Angeles vs A W Rhodes et al, interlocutory judgment in condemnation that James Cummings is owner of part lot 7, block 78, H S, etc; that Catherine Fitzgerald is owner of part block J, Mrs Fitzgerald tract; that Emily S Cubanis is owner of part lot 22, block B, Dunkelberger tract; that O A Vickery and S C Hubbell are owners of, beginning at southwest corner of lot 22, of Eleventh street block, northerly 7.9 feet west 60 feet, etc; and fixing the exterior boundaries of said dist; the following are the names of streets included in said dist: Part ninth street, part Valencia street, part Tenth street, part Connecticut street, part Eleventh street, part Winfield street.

Total, $72,635.66.

GEN SMITH SWORN IN.

MANILA, Jan. 2.—Gen. James F. Smith, the recently-appointed member of the Philippine Commission, and Elmer Bryant, Superintendent of Instruction, were sworn in yesterday at the public session of the commission. Gen. Smith takes the portfolio of Secretary of Education.

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MANILA, Jan. 2.—[By Manila Cable.] A boat's crew from the United States cruiser Don Jaime de Austria made the first successful attack on the mine fields in the maneuvers near Subig Bay. The boat capsized as it was approaching the mines, and part of the crew, with Ensign Babcock leading, swam a mile, although the water was infested with sharks, towing counter-mine buoys, which were successfully placed. The searchlights on the warships did not discover the operation. Ensign Babcock and his men were congratulated on their courage.

Rear Admiral Evans's fleet will abandon Subig Bay Monday, and come to Manila for heavy gun practice. One target will represent a submarine boat. It will be towed by a submarine vessel, and will appear on the surface briefly.

CABINET SESSION.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—The feature of the Cabinet meeting today was the decision to close permanently the postoffice at Indianola, Miss., from which the postmaster, Minnie M. Cox, colored, resigned under compulsion a few days ago, since which time the office has been closed. The bondsmen have brought the matter to the attention of the authorities here, with the view of being delivered of the responsibility of the accumulated mail. The postmaster has had a thorough investigation made, and has become satisfied that the woman was obliged to resign under duress—in fact, that her life was endangered. Having represented this state of affairs to the Cabinet, after a long discussion, the decision above noted was reached, and the office will not be reopened until the people in the district are ready to accept this woman as their postmistress.

The remainder of the meeting was consumed in the discussion of foreign affairs, especially the conditions in Venezuela. Secretary Hay presented a statement showing that no definite responses have been received from any of the allied powers to President Castro's last communication. It is probable that further negotiations will be required to bring the parties to an agreement, but it is not doubted that this will be reached.

Cuba was the other subject which engrossed the attention of the Cabinet, and there was an anxious discussion of the prospective reciprocity treaty, the decision finally being reached to press the treaty forward on the same lines toward ratification.

How Plague Reached Mazatlan.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—Consular advices received at the State Department from Mazatlan, Mex., relative to the outbreak of the bubonic plague, state that the disease was brought over on a Chinese ship arriving there on December 15. Every precaution will be taken to prevent the entrance of the plague into this country.

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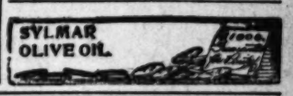

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BUSINESS.

Credits were exchanged at the Los Angeles clearinghouse yesterday, for Thursday and Friday, in the sum of $1,009,507.10; corresponding period last year, $865,107.63. Local business conditions are eminently satisfactory.

Call money at New York stiffened to 25 per cent. yesterday, and there was also a bulge in stocks that afterward became a fairly steady selling movement. Wheat ruled quiet and lower at Chicago, with a good deal of long stuff on the market.

INDEPENDENT WORKINGMEN TO ORGANIZE.

A dispatch from Albany, N. Y., tells of a movement which seems destined to exert a powerful influence (and probably for good) in the industrial world. It is a plan for the formation of an association to be known as "The National League of Independent Workmen of America." It is proposed to give the organization a national scope by the formation of branches in all parts of the country. The specific objects of the proposed league are stated as follows:

"(1.) To protect independent workmen in their independence.

"(2.) To sustain high wages by energetic cooperation with employers.

"(3.) To establish reasonable hours of labor, according to the exigencies of the trades.

"(4.) To promote intelligent understanding of our work.

"(5.) To furnish favorable conditions for training apprentices, in order that our boys may become successful workmen.

"(6.) To maintain sanitary conditions of employment by means of State laws and inspectors.

"(7.) To compel officers of the government to enforce the laws.

"(8.) To compel labor unions to observe the laws.

"(9.) To protect members against unjust treatment from employers, by due process of law.

"(10.) To provide a labor bureau for its members."

An organization of national extent, formed upon this platform, ought to be a potent influence for good in the industrial world. It will be such if the principles above announced be adhered to in the organization and management of the proposed association or league.

This movement will constitute a practical protest against the usurpations, the tyrannies, the greed, and the crimes of labor unions as they are at present conducted. Its membership should speedily grow to such proportions as to outnumber the trade-union organizations by at least ten to one; for the proportion of independent workmen to those who have taken upon themselves the yoke of unionism is more than twenty to one.

This movement for the organization of independent workmen, to protect their independence and to maintain their rights as American citizens, is a natural—almost an inevitable—result of the high-handed methods and the intolerable despotism of trade-unionism as it is exploited by a few unscrupulous leaders, for the benefit of themselves and of a chosen few, comprising but an infinitesimal minority of the great body of American workingmen. As between capitalistic trusts, on the one hand, and laboristic trusts on the other hand, the great body of independent American workingmen—who truly represent the practical cause of labor—have heretofore fared rather badly. They have been deprived, systematically and cruelly, of some of their most sacred rights as citizens of a free republic, which ostensibly guarantees to all its people the enjoyment of equal rights and equal opportunities. It is not surprising that they have at last been driven to the recourse of concerted action for the protection of their rights and the preservation of their liberties. The wonder is, indeed, that they have not resorted to this expedient long before now.

The time is ripe for the spirit of genuine Americanism to assert itself, in opposition to the organized greed of combined capital on the one hand, and the equally pernicious greed of organized unionism on the other hand. The combinations of capital are based upon selfishness, and they prey upon the general public for the advancement of their own narrow interests. The trade-unionism of the present day is likewise conceived in greed and brought forth in a spirit of selfishness and proscription. It does not represent the interests of the laboring man in any true sense. It represents only the organized greed of its members, who are ready to deprive all other laboring men of the means of subsistence, in order that they may secure for themselves the best situations to be had, at the highest wages that can be obtained.

The aim of modern trade unions is, not to elevate labor in the abstract, but to grab for their own members all the well-paid jobs, to drive out of employment all who decline to be coerced and subjugated to their will, and to deprive a large proportion of the rising generation of the privilege of learning trades, in order that the number of skilled workmen may be so restricted as to crush out competition in the labor market.

Past all comprehension is the mental and moral obliquity of those who denounce the selfish methods and motives of capitalistic trusts, and in the same breath commend the selfish methods and motives (of precisely the same quality) when exhibited by labor trusts. A labor trust, organized and conducted for the purpose of crushing competition, is no more to be commended or defended than is a capitalistic trust organized and conducted for precisely the same purpose. Both are monopolies, opposed to the best interests of the public at large. Both should be classed in the same category, as public enemies.

Rev. E. M. Fairchild of Albany, N. Y., who is taking a leading part in the formation of the National League of Independent Workmen of America, is quoted in an interview as follows:

"The league will be organized in the near future. It is proposed to put a national organizer in the field, and organize local branches all over the country, and demand that employers to run their shops as 'open shops,' in which union and league men can have an equal and fair chance for employment.

"The league will be strictly a laboring man's affair, but it will be incorporated, so as to command the confidence of employers and the general public, and be in a position to defend the rights of its members through the courts. Only American citizens will be eligible to membership."

The progress of this movement will be watched with the keenest interest all over the country. Its success appears to be only a question of wise and capable management. There are millions of Americans waiting to affiliate with an organization of this kind, if given an opportunity. There is reason to hope that this movement, if wisely conducted, will furnish a sensible and satisfactory solution of the industrial problem.

WHY DAN KEVANE MOVED.

The Stockton Mail, in a recent editorial, explains "why Dan Kevane moved," and incidentally makes some rather spicy comments upon Dan's spectacular trekking achievement. We quote:

"If Gov. Gage had intended to end his administration with a signal declaration that he considered public office the legitimate spoil of professional politicians he could not have done it more effectually than he has by the appointment of Daniel Kevane as Bank Commissioner. As Secretary of the Board of Examiners, Kevane has been noted chiefly for his extraordinary activity in attempting to promote the political ambitions of Gov. Gage. Whether he is competent to perform the duties of a Bank Commissioner or not the Mail does not know. That office is generally regarded as a fat snap, whose occupants perform little work of real value to the public. Nevertheless the appointment of Mr. Kevane will not increase the popularity of the Governor.

"An interesting fact in connection with the appointment of Kevane has come to light. The law provides that no two Bank Commissioners shall be appointed from the same county. Col. J. B. Wright, who was recently appointed a commissioner, has long been a resident of Sacramento, and Kevane has also lived in Sacramento for at least two years. He registered there and voted with all his might last November. However, on November 19 he applied for the cancellation of his Sacramento county registration and was transferred to Solano county. There is no apparent reason for this except a determination to evade the law providing that no two Bank Commissioners shall be residents of the same county. Before coming to Sacramento, Kevane lived in Los Angeles, but he could not go back there because Guy B. Barham, whom Gage also wanted to appoint a Bank Commissioner, is a resident of the metropolis of the sunny southland. The only man who was free to move anywhere that the exigencies of pothouse politics might call was Kevane, and so he developed a sudden fondness for the balmy climate of Solano county. Whether his legal domicile in that county consists of a duck-hunter's shack in the tules in the vicinity of Suisun or a hotel in the classic precincts of Fairfield has not yet been made public. One thing, however, is settled—if there is a soft political job in sight, Dan Kevane will not let a little matter like his legal residence interfere with his overweening ambition to serve the dear people."

Henry T. Gage not only ended his administration "with a signal declaration that he considered public office the legitimate spoil of professional politicians," but he conducted his administration, from beginning to end, with that declaration nailed to the masthead. So far as he was able, he made himself subservient to the schemes of pothouse politicians and professional placemen, instead of serving, with honesty and singleness of purpose, the people of the State, who elevated him to the office of Governor.

If Gage had been more zealous in serving the interests of the people, and less zealous in serving the interests and subordinating his high office to the wishes of political adventurers, he might have received a vote of public confidence in the form of a renomination—which would have been equivalent to a reelection. He chose, however, to consort with political mercenaries and spoilsmen, and he has reaped his inevitable and merited reward of discredit and defeat. His forced (and permanent) retirement from the public service is distinctly for the public good.

It is now fully established, through the trumpeting of elephants, the crooning of the colors and the massing of the men at arms on the center, that Edward is Emperor of India, with all that the term implies. The spectacle at Delhi was gorgeous in the extreme, and considering the awful famine that swept over India, not so long since, it is surprising that such a multitude could be gathered together in order to hoch der Emperor! It is interesting, in this connection, to note that Chicago is duly represented in the festivities of the occasion by the wife of the Viceroy, formerly Daisy Leiter, on the banks of Lake Michigan. The entire event was almost equal to a Pasadena Rose Carnival, which is, indeed, burning the incense of praise.

According to Mr. Schurman, the Philippines are more in need of a stable currency system than of shiploads of schoolma'ams. It will indeed be a shame should Congress leave our new possessions in the Far East in a condition bordering on a proposed Nebraska currency system, in which 50-cent dollars are sometimes worth that much and, not infrequently, 15 to 20 per cent. less. The Philippines should be promptly un-Bryanized, that the islands may expand in commerce and happiness as any country must advance over which Old Glory floats in tricolored magnificence and beauty.

We have no objection to the exhibition of Northern California products in our midst, but when they attempt to take our Wiggins from us there will be found something doing. We may even loan a turtle for their shows, in order to liven them up a bit, but the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce is an asset that we refuse to part with. Hands off!

The Pacific cable is working, and compliments are passing under the waves of the glorious and placid old drink out yonder under the edge of sunset. This is another big stride forward for the better side of the great republic and those islands that lie out there in the offing, a few thousand miles away.

Bremerton, near Seattle, is indignant that it should be accused of supporting such a raw line of jag factories that even sailors are not to be permitted to go ashore there, for fear of the consequence. We trust that Bremerton will be able to establish the fact that it is not as drunk as it has been painted.

A distinguished educator, Prof. Wilder of Cornell, asserts that the orang-outang should rank next to man, instead of permitting the gorilla to occupy second place. In this matter we positively refuse to take sides. Neither of them ever did anything to us. It is trouble enough to try to keep man in first place.

If we have the same sort of street sprinkling in Los Angeles this year that we had last year, all those wishes for happiness that were bandied about on the 1st inst. won't amount to shucks. The inhabitants of this ancient and honorable pueblo are clamorous for sprinkling reform.

A Chicago lady has invented a pork-and-beans biscuit and a $25,000,000 corporation has been organized to bake rations of them for all the armies of the world. This ought to give the Ventura bean country a lively boom. Pass the biscuit and let's see what the blamed things taste like!

The high chief astrologer has been heard from, and many credulous mortals will doubtless be pleased to learn that none of his predictions regarding this country are especially dreadful and dire. But an astrologer who doesn't predict horrors hardly seems to be "onto his job."

All about Southern California is what may be found set out in lavish manner in the Midwinter Number of this newspaper. It will prove an excellent missionary to send abroad to the lands where the blizzards are blizzing away and coal is $20 per ton—and no coal.

New Year's Day at the White House was celebrated with eclat. Even if it did cost $600,000 to fix up the old mansion, none of us mind it now that we have a structure which matches in magnificence the gorgeous and garish sartorial effects of the Diplomatic Corps.

The gentle footpad is still padding around and holding people up. When that consignment of sawed-off shotguns arrives we trust that the winging of some of those birds will put a stop to this midwinter marauding that is going on in our immediate midst.

President Castro also shows an inclination to tie some strings to the arbitration proposition. But it is not believed that the señor is able to put a knot in them that won't be easily untied. Our Uncle Sam is pretty cute on the string business.

The Pasadena Rose Carnival was a most beautiful festival. Distant friends may be told all about it by mailing to them a copy of yesterday's Times, in which the carnival was adequately described in graphic prose and in telling pictures.

Avalon has been having a struggle with an octopus, but, joy be, it wasn't one of the Morgan brand, but just a regular old he-fellow, with wriggling arms all over his uncomely person. And Avalon "got the best of it."

We trust that the workmen who are building that new hospital-service train for the Espee are working in double shifts. The only trouble seems to be, just now, that the train is being needed in so many places at once.

Hartford, Ct., celebrated New Year's Day by blowing up an ice jam in the Connecticut River. Out here we spent the day shoveling sunshine and roses off the sidewalks of Pasadena. Such a difference!

The campaign for clean streets should be pursued to a finish. The condition of our thoroughfares is shameful and humiliating to the pride of every true and patriotic Angeleño.

Cuba and the United States have exchanged New Year's greetings, but that reciprocity treaty is still on the side track, with a string of cattle cars in front of it several miles in length.

Marconi will now proceed to cause the land-telegraph lines to throw a few fits, for his scheme will work as well over the tree-tops as it does across large, salty drinks.

Keep on making somebody else happy every day. That's the way to make this the bulliest old new year that ever came down the pike.

The strict enforcement of the pitching ordinances would shove the city of Los Angeles quite a long ways on the road to a happy new year.

The rush for oil lands in Wyoming looks like Oklahoma over again. May all the "sooners" strike oil and sell it for steen dollars a barrel!

Fez is still beleaguered and the Sultan hardly knows where he is going to sleep tonight. Being a monarch likewise has its disadvantages.

Legislation against the trusts is likely to be talked to death. So much the worse for the body that is doing the "conversationing."

It was comparatively easy to get to Pasadena on a trolley car on New Year's Day. But the getting back! Oh, my! Oh, my!

The Weather Bureau is certainly doing its level best to start this part of the country off with a happy new year effect.

It is never too cold a day in Chicago to prevent somebody in that town from starting for California to thaw out.

John Mitchell is going into politics. Now we do see his finish.

MUSIC AND MUSICIANS.

Symphony Orchestra.

The Symphony Orchestra gave the third concert of this season at the Los Angeles Theater yesterday afternoon, Miss Alice Coleman, pianist, being the soloist. The programme was an interesting one, containing Brahms' Tragic Overture; "Danse Bacchanale," from Saint-Saens' opera, "Samson and Delila;" Beethoven's Fourth Concerto, and Schubert's Seventh Symphony. There was a large attendance. The orchestra has improved greatly this season. Particularly was good work done in the Symphony and the "Danse Bacchanale." The opening strains of the latter were wavering and uncertain, but the full orchestra remedied that fault and finished in a blaze of tonal glory.

Miss Coleman gave a correct and careful rendering of the Beethoven Fourth Concerto. Technically her performance was accurate and clean-cut, but it lacked in idealism. She has a rare mastery of the instrument, and has won recognition as a brilliant mucisian.

PASADENA "NEWS'" TOURNAMENT EDITION.

In its special Tournament of Roses Edition the Pasadena Daily News produces a thing of beauty. Of regular newspaper size, the entire copy is printed on heavy calendared paper, and the excellent typography making it a large magazine of tasty color and artistic illustration. The cover is bordered with roses of deepest red, and contains a panoramic view of the city and a view of the crowded streets on New Year's Day, done in pale green that makes an effective color contrast. Excellent half-tones depict every feature of the famous floral carnival, and the text is a comprehensive historical and descriptive account of the occasion. In addition, the hotels, business houses, industries and points of interest of the Crown of the Valley are creditably treated in word and picture.

"A PRIMA FACIE FRAUD."

[Fresno Republican, Dec. 24:] There is a big libel suit on at San Diego, to determine whether the Los Angeles Times told more or less than the whole truth about the Tingley school of esoteric dupes. We have not read the testimony, and do not care to read it, so we do not know whether The Times is guilty of technical libel or not. But we do know that any person, "healer," "doctor," or leader of a cult, who professes superatural powers, is to be regarded with suspicion, as a prima facie fraud, and a newspaper is ordinarily rendering a public service in warning the public against these pretenders.

SHOULD PROTECT "DAMPHOOLS."

[Sacramento Bee, Dec. 22:] The Los Angeles Times is being sued for libel by Mrs. Katherine A. Tingley, the Theosophist leader of San Diego. We do not know what The Times said about Mrs. Tingley. It may have gone too far, but surely the self-respecting press should warn the people against all, male or female, who attribute to themselves the attributes and the powers of divinity.

It is true that damphools are born every minute, but even damphools are entitled to a little protection.

CLIMATOLOGICAL REPORT.

A report of the 1902 tour of the American Climatological Association and the nineteenth annual meeting held at Los Angeles in June last, has been issued, and is a very handsome publication. Copies are being sent out and are welcomed in the public and private libraries of the country.

WASHINGTON HONORED ABROAD.

The Szabadsag (Liberty,) the oldest Hungarian paper in America, devotes its entire current issue to furthering the project, which the Hungarians in this country have begun, of erecting a monument to Washington in Budapest.

MR. HATTON'S PEEPING EYE.

Perkins' Manager Barred From Westminster.

Feared Long Over Balcony to the Floor Below.

Surprised by Watchman and Clerk, He Makes a Weak Excuse.

For playing the part of a "peeping Tom," George F. Hatton, political manager for Senator Perkins, has been barred from the Hotel Westminster, where he has been wont to stay on his numerous incursions into the local field of politics.

Had it not been for the consideration shown him by attachés of the hotel, Hatton would have taken his clothes and gone on a moment's notice. As it was, he was permitted to remain in the house over night after the discovery of his prying propensities, but he left early the next morning—so early that he had a long wait somewhere before the departure of the train on which he went to San Diego.

Hatton made his last visit to Los Angeles during December, when he came with Charles M. Leavy of San Francisco to round up the members of the Southern California delegation to the Legislature, in an effort to induce them to sign a call for a Perkins caucus. As usual, he engaged apartments at the Westminster.

Late in the evening of December 21 the night watchman of the hotel saw Hatton standing in the hallway of the fourth floor, at a railing of the court in the center of the building, from which point a view is afforded of the entrances to the rooms on the third and second floors. As in most hotels, there are transoms over the doors to guests' rooms in the Westminster, for purposes of ventilation. These transoms are on hinges and swing downward from the bottom, screening in the best manner possible the interior of the rooms. Some guests, however, drop the transoms to their greatest extent, and in this way it is possible for one standing on an upper floor of the court to see a portion of the rooms in range.

It is not the custom of guests to stand in the halls for any length of time, and the watchman, when he first saw Hatton, thought it strange that he should be standing at that particular point. When Hatton saw that he was observed he passed down the hall, but when the watchman made his rounds a few minutes later, Senator Perkins's political manager again was standing in the same place. Several other times during the evening it is said that the watchman saw Hatton standing at the railing, and he seemed to be especially interested in some proceedings on the floor below. Each time that Hatton learned that he was the object of observation he moved away, as if he had just stopped casually.

Although the watchman could hardly bring himself to believe that Hatton was prying into matters that were not of his concern, he heeded the strict rules of the Westminster and at once notified Night Clerk Murphy of the suspicious actions of the political guest.

Murphy took a trip to the fourth floor on his own account, and bumped first thing into Hatton, who in a confused way muttered something about the time of departure of the train for San Diego next morning, and passed down the hall. This encounter with the clerk evidently put a stop to Hatton's desire to see what he could see, and he was not seen to make another visit to his point of vigil.

When morning came Hatton appeared at the hotel desk about 7 o'clock, paid his bill and departed, although the San Diego train was not due to leave for nearly two hours.

Proprietor F. O. Johnson was greatly incensed when he learned of Hatton's actions, and his regret was that more summary action had not been taken in dealing with the offender.

"Had I been here," said Mr. Johnson, "I should have taken more vigorous measures toward Mr. Hatton, notwithstanding his position. Of course, we do not know what he was trying to see, but his presence was sufficient to arouse suspicion. We take every means for the protection of our guests, and do not hesitate to use every effort to enforce the rules of the hotel. I am only sorry that I was not present at the time this took place—the offender would have left the house at once.

"As it is," he continued, "should Mr. Hatton again apply for accommodations at the Westminster, there will be no place for him. The rooms will be full. This is the first time that we have had an occurrence of this kind, and I think it will be the last. Employés of the house have been given instructions to deal summarily in the future with all similar offenders, but I trust they will have no such unpleasant duty to perform."

It is not known where Hatton secured lodgings in Los Angeles on his return from San Diego, if he stopped in this city.

It is reported that this is not the first time that he has offended in a like manner. Whether his quest has been for political information, or for the satisfaction of a desire to "see things," is not known.

EVENTS IN SOCIETY.

McGaughey-Whitmore.

A pretty church wedding occurred on New Year's Eve in the Bellevue-avenue Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in which the principals were Miss Opal LeBaron McGaughey, daughter of Mrs. L. M. McGaughey, and Dr. William Vincent Whitmore of Tucson, Ariz. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Taylor, pastor of the Bellevue-avenue church, assisted by two college classmates of the groom, Rev. W. D. Fuller, assistant weather observer, and Rev. F. S. Forbes, superintendent of the McKinley Industrial Home. The bride was escorted to the altar by J. F. Sayler, and the groom was attended by B. F. Forest. The bridesmaids were Misses Ellen, Cora and Mary Reavis and Ida Mead; and the maid of honor was the bride's sister, Miss Byrda McGaughey. The attendants were Annie and Bessie Robinson; Carlton Greer was the ring bearer, and Ella Craig flower girl. The ushers were Miss Peacock, Miss Knoch, Miss Nellie Peacock and Miss Holland. The bride's dress was of madonna veiling over cream satin, and the maid of honor wore pearl gray crepe over orange satin. The ushers were gowned two in blue and two in pink organdie, and the bridesmaids were white, with blue and pink garniture. After the ceremony at the church, a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, No. 827 East Twenty-first street.

Dr. Whitmore has a large circle of acquaintances in this city. He is a graduate of the Southern California Medical College, and served a term as an interne at the County Hospital. He is well known in Arizona, in both medical and educational circles, and has been clerk of the school board at Tucson for three years, a member of the board of regents of the University of Arizona, and president of the Arizona Medical Association. The bride has been for the past three years an instructor in the University of Arizona. She is a lady of great beauty and charming personality. Dr. and Mrs. Whitmore will make their home at Tucson.

SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY.

YEAR BEGIN WITH SUICIDE.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Jan. 2.—New Year's Day the dead body of John Miller, or John Hogan, was found near the old planing mill of Schwartz & Beebe, north of the narrow-gauge depot. It was a case of suicide, and carbolic acid was the means. The dead man was a stranger here, having been employed on the Southern Pacific oil tanks but a short time. He was of German descent and aged of about 60 years.

QUEEN EDITH.

Balloting for queen of the Midwinter Carnival ended last night, resulting in a victory for Miss Edith Cook, of this city. Miss Cora Dempsey of Paso Robles was a close second. She and the other defeated candidates for queen, Miss Mossie McHenry and Miss Lena Ready of this city, will act as maids of honor to Queen Edith.

MINOR ITEMS.

Business houses are beginning to decorate for the coming carnival, which begins January 5.

Hobos are a nuisance in this city just now, like other places, and as a consequence the policeman's life is a little more strenuous than usual. Last night the sons of rest broke into a storehouse of H. E. Fry and rifled several trunks stored there, securing some blankets and shawls. No arrests. Today while out riding, Mrs. Fry found a shawl on the street, which proved to be one stolen the night before.

The new year was hailed here in the usual manner by a certain class of individuals, who seize the opportunity to fill up of steam and noise. Reckless persons used loaded cartridges in their revolvers instead of blanks, resulting in the destruction of several windows, including a large plate-glass show window in the McManus jewelry store. Some wags placed a buggy on the Courthouse steps, with the suggestion that the retiring county officials might find good use for it.

LIFE-SAVING STATION IN ANTELOPE VALLEY.

[SPECIALLY CONTRIBUTED TO THE TIMES.]

SO "THE Special Committee on Tuberculosis has decided against the establishment of a State Hospital for the care of tuberculosis patients;" and their decision will be the death knell to hundreds of people who prayed for only just a fighting chance to live.

Some time in October I read in The Times an article telling how one poor woman from Pittsburgh had in the hope of finding in the sunny clime of Southern California the chance for recovery from this dread disease, endured the long journey across the continent, sitting up day and night, surrounded by her little children. These children, even to a healthy woman, would have been a great care. Then, when she arrived in Los Angeles, perfectly exhausted from the long hard trip, the Associated Charities promptly sent her back to certain death, it did not lessen the hopelessness of the poor woman that she was sent back in the most comfortable of sleepers, out of this land of sunshine and flowers, to the land of ice and snow.

The word picture of The Times was so vividly drawn that it has haunted me ever since with an aching pain that calls for pity's pleading.

It seems strange that California is afraid of tuberculosis, when she has sections where life-saving stations could be established and where 90 per cent. of the consumptives who come here would entirely recover.

Some years ago when the South was ravaged by the yellow fever, and even the northern cities were inclined to quarantine against the refugees, Atlanta, Ga., opened her gates and to all who came she gave a place of refuge and a kindly welcome. Atlanta had no fear of yellow fever, her geographical situation secured her against the fell disease.

California has just such a place in Antelope Valley for those who are suffering from any form of pulmonary disease. In this high, pure, clear atmosphere, where there is no fog nor dampness, where the sunshine is the brightest, and the sky the bluest, they would have every chance to recover. With no danger to the people with whom they might come in contact.

The doors of the State will not be closed against the people who have plenty of money; it is the people who have little who will be shut out, and "even that which he hath shall be taken away from him." Some of us who have watched a dearly loved face grow

"Purer, clearer, day by day,
Till we saw the spirit's luster
Shining through its tent of clay,"

and knowing the utter helplessness we felt in those dark hours, realize what the "sending back," or the refusal to allow them even the chance to live a little longer, must mean not only to the one standing on the borderland, but to those who love them well enough in many cases to sacrifice their little "all" to bring, or send them here.

I believe there are kind-hearted men and women enough in this fair land to lend their aid in making a trial of one life-saving station in this part of the State. "One touch of human sympathy makes all the world akin." If we will stop for one moment and put ourselves and our loved ones in the place of these people, there can be no question as to what we will do.

I believe that the establishment of one such place will be the means of saving hundreds of lives that are near and dear to some one. The station should be a place where people of small means who would not accept charity, could go and pay a nominal sum, but where none should be turned away; and as I have faith in the ultimate success of such a plan, I will give the use of a large house and grounds in Antelope Valley, for the first life-saving station. If I could I would give all else necessary, but as that is impossible, I come to you with pity's pleading; what will you do for those who are walking or waiting under the shadow, and long for the glorious health-giving sunshine?

MARION WALLACE RANDOLPH.

SINKS INTO CHASM.

Portion of Town of Oliphant Caves In and Four Buildings Ground to Debris in Yawning Pit.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SCRANTON (Pa.) Jan. 2.—Abandoned workings of the Eddy Creek colliery of the Delaware and Hudson Company, beneath the very heart of the town of Oliphant, caved in this afternoon, and engulfed four frame buildings, covering an aggregate ground space of 6000 square feet.

The settling was gradual, and the people in the affected vicinity escaped. A gang of men and boys who were at work in the mine beyond the fall encountered a flooded "dip" or depression in the vein, making their way out and had to swim from one rise to the other. The settling began at 3 o'clock and continued thirty minutes.

In the intervening half hour O'Brien's three-story mill, Mrs. Ann Evans's double dwelling, Mrs. Jno. Acerly's double store building, and Evans's one-story barber shop went to ground to débris in the yawning pit, with the uppermost part of the mow forty feet below the surface. The vein that caved in is 115 feet below the surface. The property loss is estimated at $40,000.

Up to midnight no further disturbance had been reported.

DECEMBER CIRCULATION OF THE TIMES.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF Los Angeles, ss.

Harry Chandler, Assistant General Manager of the Los Angeles Times, does solemnly swear that the actual number of copies of that paper printed and sold for each day of December, 1902, as shown by the office records, was as follows:

DECEMBER, 1902.

1	29,810	17	30,140
2	30,730	18	30,160
3	30,000	19	30,160
4	30,040	20	30,080
5	30,080	21	47,300
6	30,000	22	30,170
7	30,050	23	30,170
8	47,200	24	30,170
9	30,090	25	30,170
10	30,100	26	30,170
11	30,120	27	31,190
12	30,090	28	31,190
13	30,100	29	31,190
14	30,200	30	31,190
15	47,200	31	31,190
16	30,000		
17	30,120		
Total			1,012,910

HARRY CHANDLER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of December, 1902.

[Seal] T. L. CHAPIN,
Notary Public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

The daily average for December, 1902, was 32,674 copies; the daily average for December, 1901, was 29,882 copies; daily average gain for December, 1902, over December, 1901, 2,792 copies. This is the greatest gain in circulation ever made by The Times in any single year of its history, barring 1898, the year of the Spanish-American war.

ADVERTISING GROWTH FOR 1902.

The following comparative table shows the total volume of advertising printed in the columns of The Times for each month of the years 1901 and 1902:

	—Cols.—		Month's
	1901.	1902.	gain.
January	1,757	2,261	504
February	1,656	2,317	661
March	2,013	2,128	115
April	1,748	2,123	375
May	1,723	2,466	743
June	1,749	2,508	759
July	1,753	2,290	537
August	1,552	2,347	795
September	1,708	2,415	707
October	1,940	2,641	701
November	1,953	2,648	695
December	2,463	2,874	411
	22,793	29,172	6,379

The average daily gain for 1902 over 1901 is more than twenty-one columns, or three pages.

The volume of advertising in The Times is greater for each month of the whole year than is printed in any two other Pacific Coast newspapers, and more than was printed in any paper of the United States west of New York. There can be no stronger testimony to the progressiveness, enterprise and proper commercial methods of the merchants of Los Angeles and of the business men of the Southwest than the advertising record of The Times for 1902.

Removal Sale

Brings Down

Piano Prices.

Brings them down so low that the finest instruments but that it is as easy to have Chickering or a Vose as an inferior piano. We want to for our new store at 332 and 33 South Broadway with new instruments. These low Removal Prices will bring many buyers for our present stock will help many homes have a good piano.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA MUSIC CO., 216-218 W. Third Street.

BRADBURY BUILDING.

A million dollars worth of eye sight may be ruined by an incompetent optician. Since the Marshutz glasses have been best.

Marshutz Optical Co. 133 S. Spring

Our Optical Business

Is a separate and distinct department—equipped with all the perfected instruments known to the optical profession, and in charge of a competent eye specialist.

If there is any defect in your sight—any eye pains or eye strains—why not avail yourself of this opportunity? We make no charge for our advice, and charge no more for perfect spectacles than you pay elsewhere for imperfect ones.

Montgomery Bros.,

Jewelers and Opticians.

Douglas Bldg. Spring and Third Sts.

SPECTER OF JAIL SCANDAL.

Contract for the Cell Work Basis for the Suit.

Agent of One Bidder Alleges There Was Collusion.

Wants Damages and Claims Combination Made Against County.

While there may have been no roguery in the peculiar circumstances that surrounded the awarding of the contract for the construction of the cell work of the new County Jail, there was something so rank about the transaction that its odor still clings to the steel skeleton of the bastile on Temple street, and occasionally a whiff is wafted into the office of the Supervisors in the Courthouse across the street.

In a suit filed in the Superior Court by D. M. Leary of this city, memories of the transaction have been revived, and when the case comes to trial, there may be some interesting disclosures.

Leary was agent for one of the companies that bid on the work, and declares in his complaint that, this company, the Van Dorn Iron Works of Cleveland, O., entered into an agreement with other companies that were bidding, by which the contract was awarded to the Pauley Jail Manufacturing Company.

Through this hocus-pocus, Leary claims that his functions as an agent were usurped, and that he suffered damage thereby to the extent of $2000. It is for this amount that he has brought suit against the Van Dorn Iron Works through his attorney, Edgar E. Lefebvre, Esq.

Several bids for the construction of the cell work were received in response to the advertisement of the contract by the Board of Supervisors, among the bidders being the Pauley Company, the Parrells Greening Company of San Francisco, for the Diebold Safe and Lock Company, and the Van Dorn Iron Works, through D. M. Leary, agent.

The contract was awarded to the Pauley Company, the bid of which was several thousand dollars below that of the other bidders, but objection was raised by interested parties, and after some pulling and hauling, all bids were thrown out, and new ones were called for.

When the second batch of bids were opened by the Supervisors, the Pauley Company again was the lowest bidder, though it had raised its former bid $1460, and in spite of the fact that several other companies had entered the competition. Strangely enough, these other companies, with the former figures to guide them, had bid thousands of dollars above the Pauley company's first price, and after another squabble, in which Supervisor Field of the "solid three" took an autocratic stand in favor of the Pauley concern, the latter company got the job.

Leary claims that the company with which he holds a contract as agent, treated him shabbily throughout the transaction. By the terms of his contract, he asserts that he was empowered to use all efforts necessary to obtain contracts, and that the bids he made on the work were to be any amount he might wish to add to the figures furnished by the Van Dorn company. In his effort to obtain the County Jail contract, Leary states that he expended certain amounts in defraying expenses, but that the defendant failed to perform its part of the agreement.

Among other things, Leary alleges that the Van Dorn company neglected to send bids on the work, accompanied by the necessary certified check, and that it failed also to send models which were called for, well knowing, he alleges, that the bid could not be presented in proper form.

He alleges further, that on the second call for bids, the Van Dorn company did not furnish any bid to his as its agent, and that under the terms of an agreement entered into by that company with other bidders, they presented a bid through a special representative who was sent to Los Angeles without the knowledge of the plaintiff.

Back of this suit lies a story in which it is alleged that Los Angeles county was jobbed out of something like $15,000, a large portion of which is supposed to have been distributed in this city, and it is said that when the case comes to trial the story of the alleged steal will be told, including many details that will not reflect credit on those who were interested in letting the contract.

It is asserted by Leary's attorneys that the cell work of the Los Angeles County Jail cost a great deal more than similar work on the San Francisco jail, a much larger building. The specifications for the local jail were drawn in such a manner, it is asserted, that the contract was bound to go to the Pauley Company.

Leary's suit has not yet been set for trial.

DR. DOWLING RETURNS ILL.

Also With Hard Cold as Culmination of Singularly Sad and Eventful Fortnight.

Singularly bereaved, weary and ill, but thankful for having survived a great catastrophe, Rev. Dr. George Thomas Dowling, pastor of Christ Episcopal Church, arrived in Los Angeles from the East late Thursday night. As the culmination of a month of thrilling and sad experiences, the popular divine is confined to his bed with a severe cold, at his apartments, No. 1068½ South Figueroa street. There he will remain until sufficiently recovered to go to his home at Pasadena, where he plans to spend two or three weeks resting and recuperating before again taking up the work of his pastorate in this city.

Following the sudden and very pathetic passing of his wife at Palm Springs, three weeks ago, Dr. Dowling left with the remains for Montreal, Can. There services were held and the body left to be interred with weather conditions would permit beside the dust of ancestors, and the home city of one of the doctor's married daughters. Returning from Montreal to Chicago, Dr. Dowling's train was in the frightful head-on collision at Wilemstead, Ontario, in which thirty persons were killed and forty seriously injured. The doctor was in the last coach and escaped unscratched, not experiencing as much as a bruise in the disaster.

The wreck occurred when the thermometer was below zero, but the passengers heroically turned to the work of relief and rescue. The wreckage quickly took fire from the demolished engines, and for a time it looked as if the maimed or imprisoned persons must be slowly burned to death in the telescoped cars. With the others, Dr. Dowling fought back the flames with hats or arms full of snow, and this work is probably responsible for the minister's present illness.

All of the doctor's baggage was destroyed in the wreck, and this entailed a peculiarly sad coincidence in the eventful fortnight. It seemed as if Fate must have decreed that the most precious reminders of the wife to whom he was so devoted, should be blotted out with her removal. He had just gathered up at Montreal the correspondence of his boyhood days, and had spent the evening before reading and living over his courtship. All of these letters were destroyed.

Dr. Dowling is attended here by his daughter, Miss Lillian Dowling, and Dr. M. L. Moore, who expect he will be able to go to Pasadena within a few days.

PRIZE LABOR PAPER.

Special New Year Edition of the "Western Mechanic" Surpasses All Previous Local Efforts.

Superb in workmanship, unique in conception, and valuable as a contribution to the literature of labor, is the special annual number of the Western Mechanic, organ of the International Printers' Protective Fraternity, just issued by Organization No. 23 of this city.

As spokesman for a labor organization, founded on the Constitution of the United States, and pledged to arbitration for the solution of industrial differences, as against the strikes, boycotts, coercion and lawless violence of trades unions, the Western Mechanic is devoted to a campaign of education among employer and employé. The New Year issue easily eclipses in value and interest the many excellent works issued weekly for the past several years.

The twenty pages contain able articles on industrial problems of the hour, numerous excellent poems, and artistic half-tones of men prominent in the crusade for industrial peace through arbitration. The front cover bears three figures, showing Capital and Labor clasping, in peace and friendship, the hand of the Goddess Arbitration. The artistic creation was conceived and executed by Brotza, who also has a cartoon on the back of the cover, showing the discomfiture of the Typographical Union malcontents.

Features of the text are a poem that deserves to endure by Theodore M. Carpenter, on "The Passing of the Dreamer;" a scholarly discussion of "Compulsory Arbitration," by Harry Brook; the history of the phenomenal advancement of the fraternity, by W. A. Rennie, editor of the Mechanic; early reminiscences, by Eugene Bassett; and several happy rhymes by E. A. Briminstool.

The illustrations include excellent portraits of William A. McDonald, founder of the order, and leaders from Pittsburgh, Kansas City and other eastern centers. Among the local pioneers of whom likenesses are produced, are: C. D. Bingham, president of No. 23; James F. Martin, Maj. William D. Graham, Charles A. Edwards, Jordan B. Wells, James E. Hatlow, Henry M. Hall, Charles E. Pattee and Philip Gair.

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Washington	46	34	40	Buffalo	43	32	38
Pittsburgh	42	29	36	Cincinnati	40	34	37
Chicago	42	32	37	St. Paul	30	18	24
St. Louis	42	34	38	Kansas City	44	24	34
Los Angeles	61	43	52	Jacksonville	58	32	45

*The maximum is for January 1; the minimum for January 2. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Report and Forecast.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Jan. 2.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecast Official.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.15; at 5 p.m. 30.16. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 47 deg. and 61 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 66 per cent.; 5 p.m., 54 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 6 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 7 miles. Maximum temperature, 61 deg.; minimum, 41 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—Fair weather prevails south of the San Joaquin Valley. It is cloudy elsewhere on the Pacific Slope, and rain is falling from the Columbia River to Puget Sound. Snow is reported from the British border. High barometer and cold weather continue in the Rocky Mountain and plateau regions. Cold mornings continue in Southern California. Frost, light to heavy, occurred in the low lands about Los Angeles this morning.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Continued fair weather tonight and Saturday; light frost in low lands Saturday morning.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—Weather conditions and general forecast. The pressure continues high over the southwestern portion of the country. A moderate storm overlies Washington, but will probably move eastward through the Canadian provinces. Heavy rain has fallen at the mouth of the Columbia River. The weather continues cool in the great valley of California, and the cold fog prevails generally north of the Tehachepi. In Southern California the weather is clear and pleasant. Forecast made at San Francisco for twenty-four hours, ending at midnight, January 3:

For Northern California: Cloudy Saturday, with fair fog in the interior; light north winds.

Southern California: Fair Saturday; light north winds.

Nevada: Fair Saturday.

San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy Saturday; light easterly winds, changing to northerly.

Sacramento and vicinity: Cloudy Tuesday, with fog; light northerly winds.

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To Purchase, Real Estate.

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WANTED—
Houses.

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512 Coronado	x132	8	4000
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2509 Ocean View	x132	8	3500
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Situated on Union ave., near Ninth. A more perfect spot for a home could not be found in all this city. The lot is 66x254 feet deep to alley and has the finest eucalyptus trees all in front. Beautiful lawn and grounds and lawn with flowers, shrubs and ornamental trees, both front and rear. Thoroughly modern house finished throughout with selected oak and cedar; combination gas and electric fixtures; heavy oak floors; beamed ceilings; walls artistically decorated and tinted; handsome hall; cement basement; servants' bathroom; two large west corner rooms; large back porch; cement basement with laundry tubs; beautiful, light, airy, large sleeping rooms with polished oak floors; latest open fire grates in every apartment. One could hardly plan for himself a more perfectly satisfactory house.

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PUBLIC SERVICE.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Important questions will be considered in the Mayor's annual message which will be sent to the Council next Monday.

William Weygall was fined $10 yesterday by Justice James for hitting C. D. Knutson of Redondo.

Mrs. Adele Stoneman has brought suit against the Euclid Avenue Water Company of Pasadena for possession of certain water rights.

AT THE CITY HALL.

MAYOR'S MESSAGE WILL SPEAK TO THE POINT.

IMPORTANT QUESTIONS TO BE COMMENTED UPON.

New City Jail, Improved Care of the Streets and Strict Economy in Municipal Affairs to Be Recommended—Advice on Many Minor Topics for New Councilmen to Ponder.

Imperative need of a new city jail building, rigid economy in the conduct of the city government, and better care of the streets will be the principal points which Mayor Snyder will undoubtedly discuss in his forthcoming annual message to the City Council.

If the charter amendments are ratified by the State Legislature, the Mayor will have much greater power than formerly, and the suggestions which he may make in the message to the Council next Monday will carry greater weight.

Much complaint has been occasioned by the overcrowding of the City Jail, and the totally inadequate facilities accorded the Receiving Hospital. With the ratification of the charter amendment, increasing the bonded debt limit of the city to $5,000,000, there will be plenty of leeway for a bond issue to build a new jail. Without doubt the Mayor will explain the urgent necessity for providing larger quarters for the police department, and point out to the Council other uses to which the old building can be put in case it is deemed advisable to build anew instead of enlarging the present structure.

For years the Health Officer, backed by the entire health department, has been seeking to obtain suitable quarters from the city. Today the department is crowded into a small cubbyhole on the second floor of the City Hall, while a smallpox corner in the attic is made to do service for a laboratory. The offices and facilities afforded the health department have long been a disgrace to the city. Health Officer Powers has been compelled to purchase some of the instruments with his own money in order to keep the department from passing entirely out of date.

Smallpox patients have frequently come voluntarily or in the custody of an officer into the City Hall, where they have exposed hundreds of people. People afflicted with all kinds of diseases come to the Health Officer for treatment. A room six by eight feet in size, and separated from the "main office" by a board partition coming half way to the ceiling is the only place where the Health Officer can make a private examination of such patients.

Health Officer Powers believes that a portion of the present jail building would serve admirably as offices and laboratory for the health department. A detention hospital could be fitted up where suspects could be taken. From data gathered on his recent trip to Washington, D. C., to attend the International Sanitary Conference of American Republics, Health Officer Powers believes that the fittings for a first-class laboratory could be secured for $1500. There is not another city in the United States the size of Los Angeles that is not equipped with a laboratory affording opportunity for testing foodstuffs for adulteration, milk for dilution and preservaline, and all edibles for poisons. Milk tests are made under great difficulties today, but chemical analyses are out of the question.

This state of affairs has been brought to the attention of the Mayor again this year, and he will recommend action by the Council that will better conditions.

The Receiving Hospital now occupies cramped quarters in the City Jail, and is little better off in the way of facilities than the health department. Bad odors from the jail tanks pervade the hospital, and there is slight opportunity to give proper care and attention to the injured. Any man who walks the streets in this day of street cars, automobiles and bicycles is apt to wake up some time in the Receiving Hospital. A visit to the place beforehand would instill extreme caution into the average individual.

As head of the Police Commission, Mayor Snyder has kept in touch with the situation, and it is believed he will recommend to the Council that a new city jail and more commodious quarters for the health department and the Receiving Hospital are imperative necessities.

Care of the streets will also receive attention at the hands of Mayor Snyder. The street sweeping and street sprinkling contracts expire June 30, and the Mayor will recommend that the Council give the care of the streets early attention in order that proper contracts may be drawn in ample time to secure competitive bids. Mayor Snyder will undoubtedly call attention to the disgraceful manner in which the street sweeping and sprinkling is now done, and the total disregard of contract requirements. Benefits to accrue from an expansion of the paved area, and the advisability of fostering such improvements will be pointed out.

Some strong advice will be given the Council on the subject of municipal expenditures. Mayor Snyder will point out the threatened dager of a large shortage in the funds, and advocate strict economy during the coming year.

Importance of civil service, the benefits derived from the municipal ownership of the water plant, the necessity for the economical use of water during the summer months, and the need of a new library building will be among the other subjects which will be discussed in the message.

Last of Fire Board.

Fire Commissioners Frankenfield, Kuhrts and Webb attended the final session of the old board yesterday morning. No business was transacted. In the absence of Vickrey, Commissioner Kuhrts made a motion to adjourn "sine die," and it passed unanimously. Chief Strohm succeeded in wedging in some words of thanks to the retiring commissioners for their courteous treatment.

Assessor's Deputies.

City Assessor-elect F. W. Wismer yesterday announced the appointment of the following list of deputies: O. H. Nunnaly, chief deputy; H. W. Cole, I. L. Isaacs, F. Stedman, A. A. Bailey, A. H. Conrad, E. C. Foster, L. N. Noel, E. E. Smith, C. C. Kirkpatrick.

Doesn't Look Like 30 Cents.

A five-gallon demijohn of Puritas distilled water doesn't "look like thirty cents;" yet that's all it costs. Puritas looks pure and inviting. Has it a place in your home?

AT THE COURT HOUSE

HELD COURT ON MOVING TRAIN.

WEYGALL CAN'T GET OVER HABIT OF BEING FINED.

First He Smashed the Man Who Wouldn't Rent a House and Then He Set Out to Expiate His Sins—Couldn't Find a Judge at the Seaside.

William Weygall of Redondo had to take a train and travel all over creation to get somebody to fine him for hitting Knutson; now everybody wants to fine him. He came up yesterday for Justice James to take the second crack at him.

Weygall is a mechanic at Redondo. He has been hunting a house. He found one that suited him to a T. Y. T. It belonged to C. D. Knutson. He had it all fixed when Knutson came around to his shop and told him with tears in his voice that he couldn't have the house. Weygall's anguish was so great that he turned and punched his fist into Knutson's face. Then he was dreadfully remorseful.

He went out to look for the Justice of the Peace; he wanted some one to confess to about the great wrong he had done to the face piece of Knutson. He couldn't find the Justice of the Peace; he couldn't find the Constable, he couldn't find anybody to punish him.

Weygall was conscientious, however; he was bound he would be punished. There was a train just about to leave Redondo, and Weygall jumped aboard. He was going to scour the country for a justice of the peace.

As the train pulled into Gardena Justice Davis got aboard. Weygall almost fell on his neck and wept for joy. He told the judge of his fall from grace and begged to be allowed to plead guilty. The judge held court in the train on the way up. He thought that a fine of $5 from Weygall would square it. Weygall paid the fine, and a great load was lifted from his heart.

But on the same train was Knutson, the "smote." He was pursuing vengeance in his heart against Weygall, all unknowing the fact that Weygall had chastened himself of sin. The first thing that Knutson did when he struck town was to swear out a complaint against Weygall.

So it fell out that Weygall was arrested all over again. They brought him yesterday before Justice James, and, just to save the trouble of fighting it out again, or maybe because he still had a still small voice crying out that needed stilling, he entered another plea of guilty; this time he was fined $10. If this thing goes on and the fines keep doubling each time, Weygall will soon be supporting the county on his fines for punching Knutson.

TERRIBLE DITCH.

WASHING HOUSEHOLD AWAY.

To save his wife and children from going the way of his pigs and chickens, and his brindle heifer, G. W. Tweedy has sued the Arroyo Ditch Company to make the corporation take away its cement ditch.

Tweedy is entitled to certain inches of water from the Arroyo ditch, which crosses his place. Not long ago, the old dirt ditch was replaced by one of cement. He claims that he has thereby lost the benefit of the percolation of the water into his land, and that his cattle can no longer drink with the old-time ease from the flowing water. One of his heifers, at least 100 chickens, three hogs and twenty pigs have been drowned. He has some children and he wants the old dirt ditch put back before there are further tragedies.

Incidentally he asks for $3000 damages.

EVEN WATER!

PASADENA CAN'T HAVE.

Yesterday Mrs. Adele Stoneman, the widow of the former Governor of California, sued the Euclid Avenue Water Company of Pasadena to establish her title to a part of the water now being furnished to the people; she claims all but twenty-nine inches and wants $25,000 damages besides.

Mrs. Stoneman claims that she owns all the water but twenty-nine miners' inches of the water in the Arroyo San Pasqualito, as it passes through the Los Robles Park, and that she has the exclusive right to tunnel for and develop water on condition that she furnish water to the purchasers of land in Los Robles Park.

She claims that the defendant company has developed water on land to the north of her land and has held up water which would have percolated through in the Arroyo and has thus interfered with her rights as a riparian owner along the Arroyo.

INCORPORATIONS.

ARTICLES FILED.

First Improvement Company has filed articles of incorporation with a capital stock of $75,000, of which $800 has been subscribed. Directors: T. J. Phillips, H. Bert Ellis, James F. Elder, William E. Oliver, Will A. Knighten.

Santa Cruz, Capitola and Watsonville Railway Company has filed a certificate of creation of $75,000 bonded indebtedness.

COURT NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

FLOURISHED KNIFE. James Ross was found guilty of simple assault in Judge Smith's court yesterday for flourishing a knife at a man who wouldn't play dice with him. Ross came into a Spring-street cigar stand and tried to get into a game with the proprietor, whose name is J. A. Plummer. Plummer first ordered him out, Ross grabbed up a piece of bootblack stand and tried to hit him. He finally went out and came back with a knife.

TELEPHONE VICTORY. Musselman & Co., the advertising agents who brought a suit for damages against the Sunset Telephone Company, for alleged bad service rendered, got a knock-out drop in court yesterday. The company's demurrer to their complaint was sustained.

HABEAS OLD TRICKS. Habeas Corpus Ladd, for old-time's sake, has dug up another habeas corpus case. This time a man named George Taylor is in jail without charge on telegraphic request from Illinois, to hold him for embezzlement. He will come up today before Judge Smith for the hearing of the petition.

HOBO KID. A boy, known as Hobo Kid, who was in the gang that assaulted Judge Allen's Chinese gardener, Ah Gem, was bound over in the Superior Court yesterday for trial, without bonds.

MORE DIVORCES. Bert Canfield was divorced from Rose Canfield yesterday. Sarah J. Fergueson was divorced from Benjamin Fergueson, on the ground of desertion.

CUPID CUTS QUEER CAPER.

Ensnares Young Man Who Would Foil Him.

Double Wedding Takes Place of Rude Parting.

Romantic End of Impending Tragedy in Pretty Love Affair.

As a messenger sent to California to enforce parental objection to the marriage of a brother, Charles Cheney of South Manchester, Ct., is a double-barreled failure. He passed through Los Angeles Thursday, taking with him as his bride, the sister of the young woman whose attractions for his brother had raised a family storm, while the brother has wedded the girl of his choice and is awaiting his father's blessing.

The Cheney brothers, Charles and Seth, are sons of Col. Frank Cheney, a politician of South Manchester, and a member of the family of the same name, which for a long time has been engaged in the manufacture of silk.

Not long ago the family learned that Seth was about to marry Katharine Bell, daughter of John S. Bell of Los Alamos, Santa Barbara county, who is the head of a family that is said to trace its ancestry back to the Aztecs. Objection of young Cheney's parents was as prompt as it was vigorous and Seth's brother, Charles, was selected to come at once to California and break off the match. No time was lost in his departure from South Manchester, and the family rested in the belief that the supposed calamity would be averted.

Charles reached Los Alamos in due time, and delivered his father's message to brother Seth, and while there he was introduced to the Bell family, with whom he soon was on friendly terms in spite of the errand that brought him.

In addition to the charming young lady who had captivated Seth, there was another sister, Miss Mary Bell, and the gallant youth from Connecticut was not slow in seeing her attractions. While Seth and Miss Katharine were enjoying themselves as only true lovers can, Charles and Miss Mary struck up a pleasant acquaintance, and with California hospitality the young lady put forth every effort to entertain the brother of her sister's lover.

There were horseback rides through the valleys and long moonlight walks over the hills, and if Charles Cheney's heart did not palpitate with love, he certainly found reason to regret the errand that had brought him to Los Alamos, although probably not regretting that he had come.

One day Charles and Miss Mary went for a horseback ride and there was an accident. Miss Bell's horse ran away and she was thrown to the ground and most painfully injured. She was stunned, and her escort, away off there in the hills with her, was the only one to lend first aid. Picking her up in his arms in a manner that is affected by the most romantic writer of melodrama, he bore her tenderly to a place where her injuries could receive ministration, and some time later he had the pleasure of escorting her to her home.

Through this little experience sprang a bond of affection between the couple that was not slow to ripen into love and in the course of a short time Charles had forgotten the parental objection to the marriage of his brother.

A Couble wedding was arranged and consummated, and Charles and his wife left for the Cheney home in Connecticut. They spent but one day in Los Angeles, stopping at the Angelus Hotel, and left Thursday evening for the East.

The young women are beautiful and accomplished, and it is expected that the family of the young men will recover from their shock when they see and become acquainted with the fair daughters of California who have made this sudden and unexpected entry into the Cheney realm.

WOMEN'S CLUBS.

Friday Morning Club.

Booker T. Washington, principal of the Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institute at Tuskegee, Ala., spoke briefly before the Friday Morning Club yesterday, addressing an audience that filled every available seat in the house, while others, failing to secure chairs, crowded the space by the walls, stood in the aisles or considered themselves fortunate to secure uncomfortable seats on the edge or steps of the platform. When the distinguished visitor came to the front the assembly stood and greeted him with the silent Chautauqua salute of white fluttering handkerchiefs, and again and again during his address was he interrupted by the enthusiasm of his hearers, the applause being called forth quite as much by the man's remarkable personality as by the subject matter of his discourse. The address, which was quite informal, and dealt largely with his work at Tuskegee, was practically the same as a part of the afternoon address delivered by Mr. Washington at Hazard's Pavilion, and which is reported at length in another department of The Times.

The days of the Civil War are not yet by any means ancient history, and the speaker's opening words, "I was born a slave," thrilled many a heart in his audience with the chill recollection of Lincoln's call to arms, and even the faces of the younger people grew grave as they listened to the story of this man's early life, and of the causes which led him to enter on his work.

Each member of the club was entitled yesterday morning to bring one guest, and there was an unusually large percentage of men in the audience, who tendered Mr. Washington an informal reception at the close of the session.

Alhambra Club.

The Wednesday Afternoon Club of Alhambra was entertained at the clubrooms this week by Mrs. Theresa C. Keys. It was a social afternoon, and very enjoyable. New Year quotations were followed by a solo by Miss Ethel Bishop, Mr. T. N. Lord read a story by Miss Dromgoole, and Rev. E. S. Ufford favored the company with a whistling solo.

"Property Rights of Women," by William M. Northrup and current topics will be the subjects presented at the open meeting of January 8.

The London papers announce that the marriage which had been arranged between Charles H. Hawtrey, the English actor, now on a tour of the United States, and Hilda Hanbury, will not

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GRAZED BY A BULLET.

B. F. McGauhey Nearly Shot in His Room at Home Last Night from Unknown Source.

One belated individual, who didn't get out with the boys New Year's morning to swell the noise of musketry and fireams, made up for his lost opportunity last night, and fired a shot that missed B. F. McGauhey, who lives at No. 827 East Twenty-first street, by a few inches.

McGauhey was in his room shaving, between 7 and 8 o'clock, and his younger brother was also in the room. A bullet came hissing through the wall of the house and lodged about six inches above McGauhey's head in the door of a cabinet. He had stooped but a second before, else the leaden missile would have hit him in the back. This probability was confirmed by measurements made immediately afterward. The younger man providentially removed himself from the line of the missile about the time his brother stooped.

No report was heard, but the revolver or rifle must have been fired from a close range, judging from the force of the bullet. The case was reported to the police, who will try to find the shooter.

GREETINGS FROM HAWAII.

Chamber of Commerce Receives Cablegram from Honolulu Body—First Message to Los Angeles.

Yesterday the local Chamber of Commerce received the first cablegram received in Los Angeles from Honolulu, in answer to their congratulations, and "Happy New Year" sent to the Honolulu body over the new submarine wire.

The "gram" which came yesterday is dated January 2, and is signed by Charles M. Cook, vice-president. It reads as follows: "Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce, Los Angeles, California: The Honolulu Chamber of Commerce reciprocates the New Year's greetings and congratulations of the representative chamber of Southern California, and hopes that completion of the cable will unite the two bodies in closer commercial relations."

SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

DEATH OF SAMUEL WAUGH.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 2.—Samuel Waugh, an old resident of this city, and a prominent G.A.R. member, is dead, after a long illness. He enlisted in the Fourteenth Illinois Infantry, and served in the battles of Shiloh and Vicksburg, and other notable engagements. He leaves a widow and seven children. One daughter, Mrs. John Mohr, resides at Douglas, Ariz.

Nancy, the bay mare owned by H. B. Hakes, won the races at the Sweetwater track yesterday.

Sixty members of the San Diego Rowing Club, took their annual swim yesterday. The swimmers report that the water was just right for an enjoyable plunge.

In yesterday's football game the eleven representing the gunboat Boston defeated the team representing the local military forces.

Today Felix C. Havens, S. D. Yokem and H. Mitchel of Imperial filed the location of 25,000 miner's inches of water from the Salton River in the Imperial country. The point of diversion is where French Lake joins the river.

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LADIES' UNION SUITS 15c—Ladies' ribbed Union Suits, fleece lined, button in front, ankle length, 35c values, Saturday at..... 15c

LADIES' NATURAL WOOL VESTS 28c—These garments are trade winners; they are regular 75c garments, in natural wool sanitary vests, good weight, and being shaped are perfect fitting; special for Saturday at..... 28c

CHILDREN'S UNION SUITS—Children's wool Union Suits in the popular Onsita style, ribbed garment and which we regularly sell at $1.25, special for Saturday at 94c

LADIES' UNION SUITS 43c—Ladies' fine union suits, fleece lined cotton, Onsita style, 75c quality at..... 43c

CHILDREN'S WOOL PANTS—Ribbed and flat goods, 50 and 75c values, on Saturday at..... 32c

BOYS' RIBBED VESTS—Boys' ribbed fleece lined vests, drawers to match; these are heavy weight, and come in gray and ecru; 25c values, at..... 19c

LADIES' UNION SUITS—These are part wool, are made in the Onsita style; some are buttoned in front, nice ribbed and splendid weight; $1.25 and $1.50 qualities special for Saturday at 93c

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OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY.

WASHINGTON (D. C.) Dec. 19, 1902.

WHEREAS, BY SATISFACTORY EVIDENCE presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The American National Bank of Los Angeles," in the city of Los Angeles, in the county of Los Angeles, and State of California, has complied with all the provisions of the statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of banking;

Now, therefore, I, Thomas P. Kane, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The American National Bank of Los Angeles," in the city of Los Angeles, in the county of Los Angeles, and State of California, is authorized to commence the business of banking, as provided in section 1929 of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

In testimony whereof, witness my hand and seal of office this 19th day of December, 1902.

[Signed] T. P. KANE.
Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency.
[Seal] No. 6545.

Notice of Annual Meeting Stockholders.

OFFICE OF THE MEXICAN PETROLEUM Company.—To the stockholders of the Mexican Petroleum Company:

Please take notice that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Mexican Petroleum Company will be held at the principal office of the company, room 456 in the Douglas Block, corner of Spring and Third streets, in the city of Los Angeles, county of Los Angeles, State of California, on Wednesday, the 14th day of January, 1903, at 10 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of electing directors, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting. The stock transfer books of the company will be closed on Saturday, the 10th day of January, 1903, at 5 o'clock p.m., and will remain closed until Thursday, the 22d day of January, 1903, at 9 o'clock a.m.

By order of the board of directors.

CHARLES WELLBORN, Secretary.

Notice of Stockholders' Meeting.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual meeting of the stockholders of Imperial Water Company No. 4 will be held at the office and principal place of business of the company, in the Southern California Savings Bank Building, on the southeast corner of Court and Spring streets, in the city of Los Angeles, on Tuesday, the 6th day of January, 1903, at 10 o'clock a.m. of that day, for the election of a Board of Directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may regularly come before said meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors.

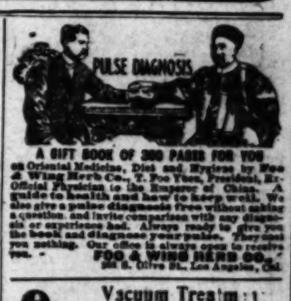
[Seal] H. A. CALLENDER, Secretary.

Stockholders' Meeting.

THE REGULAR ANNUAL MEETING OF the stockholders of the California Bank will be held at the banking house, corner of Second street and Broadway, Los Angeles, Cal., on Tuesday, January 13th, 1903, at 2 p.m., for the election of directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

J. G. MOSHIER, Secretary.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 29, 1902.



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LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Now that the holidays are over produce dealers are settling down to the steady grind of the regular trade. Yesterday's business was satisfactory. The markets stand about the same as they were on Wednesday; for the most part prices are unchanged.

Fresh ranch eggs opened considerably firmer. The ruling price seemed to be about 30 cents, although one firm was positive that 28 cents would be the properly quoted figure. Extra eggs, carefully candled, brought as high as 32 cents.

Good potatoes are in high demand; fancy stocks snapped up as soon as offered.

Butter and cheese are firm; sales light.

Onions and vegetables in good demand; prices firm.

Beans are displaying more activity and firmer tone.

Several changes were made in prices of bacon and lard yesterday.

Fresh fruits and berries in fair demand; prices top notch.

Dried fruit markets are not expected to show more spirit; prices firm.

Fish all cleaned up; small amount wanted.

Poultry is fair demand; coops badly needed empty.

Game scarce.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

STOCKS AND MONEY.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—The trading on the Exchange started off with great activity this morning and something like

THE ORANGE MARKET.

Special and Authentic Quotations by Telegraph.

PHILADELPHIA PRICES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] One car and a half of California oranges comprised the offering here today. These were of inferior quality, being very rough and green spotted. There is considerable inquiry for nice, well-colored navels, but ordinary stock is in poor demand, especially the large sizes. A car of California lemons was unloaded for inspection, but withdrawn, as the seller could not get his price. The market is not very strong on lemons at the present time, but there has been no change since the last sale. It is only good, well-colored lemons that command decent prices. Prices today were as follows: Fancy navels, regulars, averaged 2.35; a few choice, 2.65.

BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
Los Angeles, Jan. 2, 1903.

FINANCIAL.

BANK CLEARINGS. The clearings of the Los Angeles clearinghouse yesterday (Friday) were $1,099,527.10; same day a year ago, $865,197.62.

WORKING CAPITAL. We have pointed out more than once that the only practical test applicable to the integrity of net earnings in the case of industrial companies as at present reported upon is in the maintenance or otherwise of their working capital. We have also directed attention to the fact that a number of industrial companies have been compelled to borrow money to make good working capital drawn upon for various purposes, including the payment of dividend. It may be worth while to point out one or two other considerations in connection with this subject as furnishing suggestions for industrial accounting officers when preparing their annual reports.

In the olden days, before there was very much exact knowledge respecting the conditions of railroading, criticism of railroad reports mainly concerned itself with the company's current finances as disclosed in the annual balance sheet. The existence of a floating debt or its absence was the main question. At the present time, substantially the same state of things exists with respect to the criticism of industrial corporation affairs. The time may come when we shall have certain "units" for the investigation and criticism of industrial affairs as we have in the case of railroads. Meanwhile, their finances and more particularly the facts with respect to their working capital are the main standards of comparison and the main touchstone of criticism.

We think that industrial companies ought to furnish stockholders with such a statement of their gross business and of the circumstances of their manufacture with special reference to the average period of employment of their working capital as would enable some kind of approximate test of the latter's integrity and sufficiency for its purpose. It should not be very difficult to do this, nor do we see any tactical reason of weight why it should not be done. We should like to see the United States Steel Company lead the way with something of the kind in its next annual report.—[Wall Street Journal.

COMMERCIAL.

EGG TALK. It is reported that the number of eggs now in cold storage is 280 cases, a considerable percentage of which is seconds. Thus it is seen that the little brown hen in the barnyards hereabouts has got to stick to business to supply the enormous consumption of this city. The continued cold weather ought to make receipts show. Yesterday's firmness of the local market is interpreted by some dealers as evidence that all possible supplies are generally supposed to be in-doors; in other words, that local eggs will not be sufficient for the demand, and that prices will be good, provided they are not shoved in here recently, and the market smashed. On the other hand, if prices climb too high, Arizona eggs will be shipped in and disrupt.

DECEMBER BANANAS. The imports of bananas into New York for December number more than 275,075 bunches, compared with over 236,100 for the same period last year. In November, 1902, receipts were 337,-[illegible] bunches.

ABOUT PEACHES. A northern packer sized up the peach situation a few days ago as follows: "The position of peaches is showing strength, and prices are now believed to be closely demonstrated. Holders show unwillingness to sell on the present basis, and better prices are looked for when the spring trade opens. Reports from the Middle West indicate that jobbers are carrying light supplies, and these have a tendency to harden the views of packers."

GENERAL BUSINESS TOPICS.

CITRUS-FRUIT SHIPMENTS. Shipments of citrus fruits from Southern California on Wednesday and Thursday were 190 carloads of oranges and 12 carloads of lemons. The total for the month of November 1, 1902, to date, is 2179 carloads, of which number 277 carloads are lemons.

ORANGE FIGURES. From December 1 to December 27 the receipts of oranges in New York were as follows: Jamaica, 21,568 barrels and 11,654 boxes; Florida, 54,259 boxes, and California, 1,000 boxes. For the same period last year the receipts were 10,500 barrels and 500 boxes from Jamaica; 127,591 boxes from Florida, and 80,002 boxes from California. The November, 1902, receipts were 31,750 barrels and 21,151 boxes from Jamaica, 51,189 boxes from Florida, and 500 boxes from California.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS.

Now that the holidays are over, the produce dealers are settling down to the steady grind of the regular winter trade. Yesterday's business was very satisfactory. The markets stand much the same as they were on Wednesday, for the most part prices are unchanged.

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Poultry is fair demand; coops becoming empty.

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NEW YORK MARKETS.

SHARES AND MONEY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—The trading on the stock exchange started off with great animation this morning and something like a bulge in prices. Buyers of Tuesday and Wednesday took advantage of the rise to secure their profits. Prices ran off under this process, and the market became dull. The advance was renewed again at some points, but the snap seemed to be taken out of the market. A fairly steady selling movement developed in the afternoon, when call money stiffened to 15 per cent. Reading was vigorously advanced to above 69, and served to steady prices, but the selling was renewed before the close, which was highly irregular. Sugar ran off a point below Wednesday. The opening call-loan rate of 10 per cent revealed a stiff demand for funds, but caused no nervousness. Other developments pointed to a relaxed condition in the loan, and the sterling exchange market made a sharp break with the cessation of the demand for cables to meet the year-end settlements in London, which was a feature last week. The London market showed its usual prompt response to the turn of the year, and money and discounts made added declines under the abundant offerings in the market. This was accepted as a hopeful indication of a light demand for the future from the interior upon New York. Preliminary figures of the week's currency movement, which runs up to Wednesday night, indicate that the banks have gained more than $2,200,000 on the regular express movement with the interior, while the subtreasury has taken from the banks $1,470,000, thus indicating a net gain of about $1,900,000 for the banks. The week's grain exports were disappointing, while the imports of dry goods at New York rose in value several hundred thousand dollars over those of last week and exceeded those of this week last year by over $650,000, thus explaining the large customs collections of the week. The stiffening of the call-loan rate late in the day indicates that there will be the usual delay in the return of funds to the channels of the New York money market, following a disbursement period. Today's statement of Bradstreet's earnings for November proved disappointing, and the late advance in this stock was unexplained. Other statements of November earnings showed gross increases more than neutralized by operating expenses. Louisville and St. Paul, however, showed moderate net gains remaining. But these stocks were rather more affected by realizing than others. The announcement of the profit-sharing plan of the United States Steel Corporation caused a sharp rise in the preferred stock. Amalgamated Copper continued to advance on the rise in copper, but reacted sharply. President Truesdale was somewhat exposed and offered the other local securities. Atchison Pacific selling overwhelmed the market, and below the Southwestern memorandum. The early changes in the bond market were up to irregular rise to com-[illegible] with stocks. Today's sales $1,900,000. Total sales of bonds were all unchanged on the last call.

Bank Clearings.

NEW YORK Jan. 2.—The following table, compiled by Bradstreet, shows the bank clearings at the principal cities for the week ended December 31, with the percentage of increase and decrease, as compared with the corresponding week last year:

	Amount.	Per ct. Inc.	Per ct. Dec.
New York	$1,133,816,966	....	14.2
Chicago	125,468,694	....	10.6
Boston	125,468,694	....	4.1
Philadelphia	109,209,927	18.0	....
St. Louis	28,675,967	....	....
Pittsburg	28,675,967	....	15.1
Baltimore	18,997,999	1.5	....
San Francisco	17,626,958	2.2	....
Cincinnati	11,446,850	2.7	....
Kansas City	14,350,800	....	3.8
Cleveland	12,080,595	....	6.2
Minneapolis	11,180,765	....	22.1
New Orleans	14,150,785	....	1.0
Detroit	7,767,244	....	26.1
Louisville	7,745,000	....	3.3
Indianapolis	7,000,000	27.0	....
Providence	6,264,200	....	5.4
Omaha	6,077,600	5.3	....
Milwaukee	6,000,000	2.1	....
Buffalo	5,132,510	....	3.3
St. Paul	6,132,000	....	2.3
St. Joseph	4,948,000	....	2.8
Denver	3,155,234	....	....
Richmond	2,776,541	8.6	....
Savannah	2,127,000	40.0	....
Salt Lake City	3,276,478	9.3	....
Albany	2,270,617	5.4	....
LOS ANGELES	4,227,000	39.7	....
Memphis	3,617,562	24.4	....
Fort Worth	2,251,226	15.8	....
Seattle	3,102,000	29.4	....
Washington	3,054,491	11.2	....
Hartford	2,151,200	....	21.0
Peoria	2,249,429	....	2.6
Toledo	2,252,000	....	20.2
Portland, Or.	2,205,341	6.5	....
Rochester	1,924,113	....	22.6
Atlanta	2,542,272	19.0	....
Des Moines	1,452,775	....	....
New Haven	1,348,788	....	15.0
Worcester	978,000	....	22.2
Nashville	1,954,679	3.7	....
Springfield, Mass.	1,745,642	....	14.4
Norfolk	1,242,000	....	4.7
Grand Rapids	1,472,775	3.7	....
Scranton	1,463,092	....	4.6
Portland, Me.	1,180,127	....	14.1
Sioux City	1,154,000	....	20.0
Augusta	1,006,567	....	40.0
Syracuse	1,275,021	....	18.7
Dayton, O.	1,010,000	21.0	....
Tacoma	1,013,469	25.3	....
Spokane	1,049,000	41.9	....
Davenport	670,725	....	13.4
*Houston	13,611,000	....	....
*Galveston	5,000,000	11.4	....
*Columbus, O.	4,547,000	3.7	....
Totals for the United States	$1,527,692,377	....	11.2

*Not included in totals, because containing other items than clearings.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

Atchison	84¼	Texas & Pacific	42¾
Atchison pfd	100½	T., St. L. & W.	25¾
Baltimore & Ohio	109¾	T., St. L. & W. pfd	59¾
B. & O. pfd	97½	Union Pacific	100¾
Canadian Pacific	132½	Union Pac. pfd	90½
Canada Southern	77	Wabash	20¾
Ches. & Ohio	43¾	Wabash pfd	41
Chicago & Alton	34¾	W. & L. E.	25½
C. & Alton pfd	71	W. & L. E. 2d pfd	55½
C., I. & L.	21	Wis. Central	23¾
C., I. & L. pfd	91	Wis. Cen. pfd	53¾
C. & E. Illinois	132	Express Cos—	
Chicago & G. W.	23½	Adams	240
C. & G. W. "A"	20	American	230
C. & G. W. "B"	41	United States	168
Chicago & N. W.	219½	Wells-Fargo	240
Chicago Ter.	18¾	Miscellaneous—	
Chicago Ter. pfd.	54½	Amal. Copper	44¼
C., C. & St. L.	102¾	Am. Car & Fdy.	34¾
Col. Southern	24¾	Am. Car & Fdy. pfd.	92
Col. So. 1st pfd.	69¾	Am. Linseed Oil	16
Col. So. 2d pfd.	45	Am. Lin. Oil pfd.	40
Del. & Hudson	173	Am. S. R.	33¾
D., L. & W.	361	Am. S. & R. pfd.	87½
Denver & R. G.	41	Anaconda M. Co.	49
D. & R. G. pfd.	89	Brooklyn R. T.	67½
Erie	39¾	Colo. Fuel & Iron	47¾
Erie 1st pfd.	69¾	Con. Gas	217½
Erie 2d pfd.	51¾	Cont'l Tob. pfd.	118
Great N. pfd.	211½	Gen. Electric	169½
Hocking Valley	78	Hocking Coal	29¾
Hock. Val. pfd.	15	Int'l Paper	18¾
Illinois Central	146¾	Int'l Paper pfd.	71
Iowa Central	20¾	Int'l Power	63¾
Iowa Cen. pfd.	51	Laclede Gas	81
Lake Erie & W.	51	N.C.I. Biscuit	45¾
L. E. & W. pfd.	115	North American	118
Louis. & Nash.	127½	Pacific Coast	68
Manhattan L.	148¾	Pacific Mail	45¾
Met. St. Ry.	204½	People's Gas	103¾
Mexican Central	22	P. Steel Car	42¾
Mexican Nat'l	17¾	P. Steel Car pfd.	92¾
Minn. & St. L.	107	Pull. Palace Car	228
Missouri Pacific	103¾	Republic Steel	20¾
M., K. & Texas	28½	Rep. Steel pfd.	90¾
M., K. & T. pfd.	68¾	Sugar	127¾
N. J. Central	153	Tenn. Coal & I.	69¾
N. Y. Central	153¾	Union Bag & P.	13
Norfolk & W.	52¾	Union Bag & P. pfd.	77
Ontario & W.	32¾	U. S. Leather	13¾
Pennsylvania	152¾	U. S. Leather pfd.	83¾
Reading	68¾	U. S. Rubber	33¾
Reading 1st pfd.	88	U. S. Rubber pfd.	107
Reading 2d pfd.	75¾	U. S. Steel	37
St. Louis & S. F.	24	U. S. Steel pfd.	90¾
St. L. & S. F. 1st pfd.	70	U. S. Steel 2d pfd.	80
St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd.	71	Western Union	91¾
St. Louis, S. W.	27¾	Am. Loc. Co.	21
St. L. & S. W. pfd.	62½	Am. Loc. Co. pfd.	74
St. Paul	173¾	N. C. Southern	34¾
St. Paul pfd.	192	N. C. So. pfd.	97½
Southern Pacific	47¾	Rock Island	19¾
So. Railway	29½	Rock Island pfd.	54¾
So. Railway pfd.	92¾		

Total sales for the day, 577,100 shares.

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Money—		Mining—	
Call loans	4@7	Adventure	17
Time loans	5@6	Allouez	24¾
Bonds—		Amalgamated	84½
Atchison 4s	100½	Daly-West	20
Gas 1st	102	C. & Hecla	650@700
Railroads—		Copper Range	84¼
Atchison	84¾	Dominion Coal	120
Atchison pfd	100½	Franklin	10¾
Boston & Albany	258	Isle Royale	35
Boston & Maine	191	Mohawk	56½
Boston Elevated	152	Old Dominion	30¾
N. Y. N. H. & H.	222	Osceola	65
Fitchburg pfd	141	Parrot	27
Miscellaneous—		Quincy	120
Am. Sugar	127¾	Santa Fe Copper	1¾
Am. Sugar pfd.	126¾	Tamarack	155
Tenn. C. & I.	69¾	Trinity	10¼
Gen. Electric	182	United States	19¾
Mass. Electric	34	Victoria	6¾
Mass. Elec. pfd.	94	Winona	2¾
U. S. Steel	36¾	Wolverine	65
U. S. Steel pfd.	90¾		
Westinghouse Com.	163		

New York Money.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Close: Money on call 4@5 per cent; closed 4 per cent; time, 5½ per cent. for all periods. Prime mercantile paper, 6 per cent. Sterling exchange easy, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.84@4.84½ for demand and at 4.82½@4.82¾ for sixty day bills. Posted rates, 4.84 and 4.87½. Commercial bills, 4.82¼@4.82¾. Bar silver, 48¾. Mexican dollars, 34¾. Bonds, government, unsteady; States steady; railroads irregular.

Bond List.

U. S. R. 2s reg.	105½	Hock. Val. 4½s	104¾
U. S. R. 2 scoup.	105½	L. & N. Un. 4s	97¾
U. S. 3s reg.	104¾	Mex. Cen. 4s	76
U. S. 3s coup.	108	Mex. C. 1st Inc.	34¾
U. S. n. 4s reg.	132½	M. & St. L. 4s	102¾
U. S. n. 4s coup.	133¾	M., K. & T. 4s	92½
U. S. old 4s reg.	106¾	M., K. & T. 2ds	63
U. S. old 4s coup.	109¼	N. Y. C. G. 3½s	96¼
U. S. 5s reg.	107¾	N. Y. C. Gen. 4s	103¾
U. S. 5s coup.	107¾	N. O. & M. 2ds	100
Atchison, Gen. 4s	102	N. P. 3s	72¼
Atchison, Adj. 4s	81¾	N. P. Gen. 4s	100
B. & O. 4s	102	Reading Gen. 4s	95¾
B. & O. 3½s	93¼	St. L. & I. M. 5s	112
B. & O. Conv. 4s	104¾	St. L. & S. F. 4s	97
Can. So. 2ds	106	St. L. & S. F. Ints	84½
Cen. of Ga. 5s	106½	St. L. S. W. 2ds	81
C. of Ga. 1st Inc.	77	S. A. & A. P. 4s	85½
C. & O. 4½s	109½	So. Pacific 4s	91
C. & A. 2½s	74½	So. Railway 5s	112
C. B. & Q. n. 4s	94¼	T. & P. 1sts	116½
C. M. & St. P. 4s	110½	U. P. 1st & R.	75
C. & N. W. 7s	133	Union Pacific 4s	102¾
C., R. I. & P. 4s	103½	U. P. Conv. 4s	103¾
C., C. C. & St. L.	100	Wabash 1sts	114¾
Chicago Ter. 4s	86	Wabash 2ds	102
Colo. & So. 4s	92½	Wabash Deb. B.	77¾
D. & R. G. 4s	93	West Shore 4s	110½
Erie 1st ref. 4s	78¾	W. & L. E. 5s	91½
Erie Gen. 4s	83½	Wis. Cen. 4s	90½
Fort Worth 1sts	111	Cent'l Tob. 6s	66½

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—Today's statement of the treasury balances shows: Available cash balance, $216,909,280; gold, $126,776,263.

London Silver.

LONDON, Jan. 2.—Consols, 86 9-16; silver, 27⅞.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—Wheat ruled quiet and lower with a good deal of long stuff on the market, and but little demand. Northwestern receipts were much in excess of those of the corresponding time last year. Advices from Argentina reported favorable harvesting weather, and a report was current that offerings continued very free during the entire session, and the market declined gradually, closing easy. May opened ⅛ lower at 76@76¼, and sold between 75¾ and 76⅛@76¼, closing ⅜ lower, at 75⅞. Corn was rather dull, but firmness prevailed at the start on unfavorable weather in the West. Large estimated receipts for tomorrow were a bear factor. May closed ⅛ lower, at 43⅝. Oats were quiet and easy, the weakness in wheat being the principal depressing factor. The close was easy, with May ⅛ to ¼ lower, at 32⅜. The chief feature in the provision market was the marked gain in January pork, caused by active covering by shorts, which resulted in an advance of from 20@37½ to 20@65 at the opening. The close was easy, at January pork at 20@37½ higher at 17.95 bid —y pork was 7½ lower. Lard was 10 to 12½ lower, and ribs down 7½.

The leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat, No. 2—	Closing.
January	75½
May	76⅝
July	75¾@75⅞
Corn, No. 2—	
January	44⅝
May	43⅝
July	42⅝
Oats, No. 2—	
January	31¾@31⅝
May	32⅜
July	31¼

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was quiet, but firm; No. 2 spring wheat, 75½; No. 3 spring, 70@73; No. 2 red, 71¾@72½; No. 2 corn, 43½; No. 2 yellow, 44¼; No. 2 white oats, 34¼@34½; No. 3 rye, 60; good feeding barley, 39@42; fair to choice malting, 45@56; No. 1 flax seed, 1.31; No. 1 northwestern, 1.41; prime timothy seed, 3.85; mess pork, per bbl., 18.00; lard, per 100 lbs., 9.50@9.60; short ribs, sides (loose), 7.60@7.62½; dry salted shoulders (boxed,) 5.50@5.62½; short clear sides (boxed,) 7.90@8.12½; whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.31; clover, contract grade, 11.00.

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Treasury Balances.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—Available balance, $216,909,280; gold, $126,776,263.

London Silver.

LONDON, Jan. 2.—Consols, 86 9-16; silver, 27⅞.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—Wheat ruled quiet and lower with a good deal of long stuff on the market, and but little demand. Northwestern receipts were much in excess of those of the corresponding time last year. Advices from Argentina reported favorable harvesting weather, and a report was current that offerings continued very free during the entire session, and the market declined gradually, closing easy. May opened ⅛ lower at 76@76¼, and sold between 75¾ and 76⅛@76¼, closing ⅜ lower, at 75⅞. Corn was rather dull, but firmness prevailed at the start on unfavorable weather in the West. Large estimated receipts for tomorrow were a bear factor. May closed ⅛ lower, at 43⅝. Oats were quiet and easy, the weakness in wheat being the principal depressing factor. The close was easy, with May ⅛ to ¼ lower, at 32⅜. The chief feature in the provision market was the marked gain in January pork, caused by active covering by shorts, which resulted in an advance of from 20@37½ to 20@65 at the opening. The close was easy, at January pork at 20@37½ higher at 17.95 bid —y pork was 7½ lower. Lard was 10 to 12½ lower, and ribs down 7½.

The leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat, No. 2—	Closing.
January	75½
May	76⅝
July	75¾@75⅞
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A man, apparently insane, tried to gain an entrance to the private office of Gen. Greene, the new Police Commissioner, at police headquarters, New York, yesterday, saying that he was the new commissioner. Inspector Brooks inveigled him to the Mulberry-street station. Two loaded revolvers were found in his pocket.

BANKS.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT

Of the Financial Condition of

THE FARMERS AND MERCHANTS BANK

Of Los Angeles,

In the City of Los Angeles, State of California, at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1902.

ASSETS.

Cash on hand	$ 939,572.38	
Cash due from Banks and Bankers	3,360,243 82	
TOTAL AVAILABLE CASH	4,299,816.20	
U. S. and other Stocks, Bonds and Warrants	1,184,619.53	
Loans and Discounts	3,338,314.18	
Real Estate	70,166.10	
Safe Deposit Vaults	31,500.00	$8,924,416.01

LIABILITIES.

Capital (paid up)	$ 500,000.00	
Surplus	700,000.00	
Undivided Profits	393,213.25	
Due Depositors	7,331,202.76	$8,924,416.01

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, }
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES. }

We do each of us, for himself and not for the other, solemnly swear that we have personally examined each item of the assets and liabilities of the above named bank; that we have written off all worthless paper or evidences of indebtedness due the bank, and that we have scaled down all assets to their present market value, and that the items set forth in the above balances are true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

CHAS. SEYLER, Cashier.
J. A. GRAVES, 2nd Vice-President.

OZRO W CHILLS, W. H. PERRY, I. N. VAN NUYS, WM. LACY, JACOB BARUCH, } Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 31st day of December, A. D. 1902.

SEAL

EDWARD G KUSTER, Notary Public.

STATEMENT OF CONDITION OF THE

SECURITY SAVINGS BANK.

AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS DECEMBER 31, 1902.

RESOURCES:

United States Bonds	$ 229,474 31
Other Bonds	325 613.97
Real Estate	49 8 8 36
Loans on Real Estate	3,498.897.46
Furniture, Fixtures, Vaults	8.291.20
Cash in Vaults and Banks	515.834.40
	$ 4,627.999.70

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	$ 100.000.00
Reserve Fund	40.000 00
Profit and Loss	54,973.35
Deposits	4.433,026.35
	$ 4,627,999 70

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT showing increase of deposits.

January 1, 1898	$ 771,351.00	January 1, 1900	$1,868,788.70
January 1, 1899	1,015,317.97	January 1, 1901	3,256,147.12
January 1, 1900	1,194,248.73	January 1, 1902	3,262,963.65
January 1, 1901	1,753,580.05	January 1, 1903	4,433,026.35

Largest savings Bank in Southern California.

Deposits received in sums of one dollar and up, and pass books issued.

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS.

J. F. SARTORI, Pres.; M. S. HELLMAN, Vice-Pres.; W. D LONGYEAR, Cashier; J. A. Graves, M. L. Fleming, W. L. Graves, H. W. Hellman, J. H. Shankland, Henderson Hayward, Wm. G. Kerchhoff.

Interest Paid on Deposits. Money Loaned on Real Estate.

BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS.

5 Per Cent. Paid on Sums of $100 and Upward

ASSETS, $1,617,443; LOANS, $1,410,211. Directors—W. G. COCHRAN, Pres.; A. E. POMEROY, Vice-Pres.; J. G. MASSIE, Treas.; W. D. WOOLWINE, C. A. Wade, Secy. Send for booklets and statement. Home Mutual Building; and Loan Association, 141 S. Broadway, Los Angeles, Cal.

EQUITABLE LOAN SOCIETY. Office with BANK OF COMMERCE, Corner First and Broadway. Real Estate Loans payable on 1903.

6 PER CENT. PAID ON DEPOSITS. THE PROTECTIVE SAVINGS Mutual Building and Loan Association, 101 North Broadway. Money to loan on Real Estate.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—Wheat easier; barley firmer; oats steady; hay weak; bran and middlings quiet, but steady; beans firmer; butter and eggs easy; cheese steady; oranges, lemons and pears quiet; potatoes, onions, green peas, string beans, eggplant and tomatoes easier; choice poultry firm.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—Flour—Net cash prices for family extras, 4.20@4.50; bakers' extras, 4.10@4.20; Oregon and Washington, 3.50@4.00.

Wheat—Shipping, 1.36½@1.40; milling, 1.41½@1.46½.

Barley — Feed, 1.15@1.19½; brewing, 1.22½@1.25; Chevalier, 1.35@1.60.

Oats—Red, 1.22½@1.35; white, 1.25@1.40; black, 1.15@1.20.

Hay—Wheat, 12.00@15.50; wheat and oat, 12.00@14.50; oat, wild, 9.00@11.50; barley, 8.50@13.50; alfalfa, 8.00@11.50; clover, 7.50@8.50; straw, 40@65c.

Millstuffs—Middlings, 22.00@24.50; mixed feed, 19.00@20.00; rolled barley, 22.00@26.00.

Beans—Pink, 2.40@2.65; Lima, 4.00@4.25; small white, 2.25@3.20; large white, 2.00@2.50.

Potatoes — Oregon Burbanks, 1.00@1.50; River Burbanks, 30@50; Salinas Burbanks, 75@1.10; river reds, 40@45; Merced sweets, 1.00; Early Rose, 50@1.00.

Onions—Fancy, 85; common, 50.

Various—Green peas, 2½@4½; string beans, 6@10; egg plant, 6@12½; tomatoes, 50@1.00; summer squash, 25@1.00; garlic, 2½@3½; cucumbers, 75@1.25; mushrooms, 25.

Fruit — Honey apples, 1.50; common apples, 50; pears, common, 50; fancy, 1.25; persimmons, 50@1.00.

Berries—Cranberries, 12.50@13.00.

Citrus fruits — Oranges, navels, 1.50@2.75; seedlings, 75@1.50; Mexican limes, 4.50@5.00; common California lemons, 75; fancy, 2.00; Japanese mandarins, 1.00@4.25.

Tropical fruits — Bananas, 1.00@2.50; pineapples, 2.50@4.00.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 30½; seconds, 29; fancy dairy, 28; seconds, 26.

Cheese—California cheddar, 11@13; eastern, 15@17; Young America, 13½@16½.

Eggs—Ranch, 38@42½; store, 30@37½; eastern, 34@37.

Poultry — Live turkeys, 10@13; dressed turkeys, 20@22; old roosters, 5.00@5.50; young roosters, 5.00@6.00; small broilers, 2.

THE CITY IN BRIEF.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Another Todd.

John G. Todd, lieutenant of Engine Company, No. 3, did not participate in the gun play on Hill street New Year's morning. It was James L. Todd, a fireman in another company.

Dear at the Price.

Antonio Gomez and Juan Salsedo were arrested on December 30 with clothes, silk handkerchiefs and cheap jewelry weighting them down. Gomez was given six months by Judge Austin yesterday and Salsedo got five.

Funeral of Jacob H. Gries.

The funeral of the late Jacob H. Gries of Nordhoff, who died at the Southern California Hospital in this city Thursday evening, will be held in the Universalist Church at Santa Paula Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

Uncle Sam's Reclaimed.

J. O. Evans, who deserted from the United States Navy five months ago, gave himself up to the police yesterday afternoon. Being a fugitive was too wearisome, he said. He will be turned over to Federal authorities today.

Died of Heart Disease.

W. H. Temple, an aged man, whose home was at No. 202½ Sacramento street, fell near the Arcade depot yesterday morning, and died a few minutes afterward. The body was removed to Peck & Chase's morgue, where an inquest will be held today.

Cable Slot Going.

A big gang was at work yesterday on the tracks of the Los Angeles Railway Company on First street between Spring and Main streets, tearing out the old cable slot. Some day the Pasadena "short line" cars may run to Spring street by this route. Now they stop at First and Los Angeles streets.

Burglars Got Cash.

B. F. Sanborn, proprietor of the Nadeau barber shop, reported to the police yesterday that his place was entered the night before and $2 was taken from the cash drawer. The burglar let himself in with a key. W. G. Henry's saloon, No. 1006 North Main street, was broken into the same night and the thief secured $10.

Pickpocket and Highwaymen.

C. W. Everett, who lives at Bishop, Inyo county, was caught in a jam while trying to get a ticket to Booker T. Washington's lecture at Hazard's Pavilion last night, and a pickpocket took his purse, containing $50. Peter Stokes, who lives at No. 1610 Thompson street, Pico Heights, was held up and assaulted by three men on Wilmington street night before last. The highwaymen robbed Stokes of $45.

For Colored People.

This evening Booker T. Washington will speak to the people of his own race in Simpson Auditorium. Following his address local colored people will tender him a banquet. Tomorrow at 3 p.m. he speaks in the Methodist Church of Pasadena, and at 7:30 tomorrow evening he speaks in the First Congregational Church, corner of Sixth and Hill streets, this city. On Monday he will go to San Diego, and next Wednesday proceed northward to San José.

Small Investments.

A. W. Rhodes buys of J. S. Cravens, through W. M. Garland & Co., 10x165 feet, west side Spring between Seventh and Eighth streets, adjoining the fifty-foot lot recently purchased by Mr. Rhodes; consideration named, $10,000.

R. J. Campbell has purchased, for a home, of George W. Stimson, through Althouse Bros., 85x125 feet, on the northeast corner of Park View and Ninth streets, with a nine-room modern frame dwelling; consideration named, $9000.

Brown Wanted to Sleep.

P. A. Brown, a book agent, had insomnia last night and lay down on his restless couch in a room at No. 519 South Spring street with an eight-ounce bottle of chloroform to woo the fickle Morpheus. The landlord, making the rounds to collect rent, found Brown breathing weakly with a saturated cloth over his face and an almost empty bottle feeding his nostrils. Brown was revived and said he was trying to induce sleep. He was taken to the Receiving Hospital and braced up a bit.

Brutal Barber Arraigned.

Frank S. Hofer, the barber who beat and kicked Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Holcomb Thursday afternoon at their lodging-house on South Hill street, was arraigned in the Police Court yesterday. When arrested he was booked for battery, but owing to the aggravated nature of the assault, the charge was changed to felonious assault. He will have his preliminary examination on the 6th inst. Dr. Holcomb's condition was slightly improved yesterday, but his injuries are certain to be of a permanent nature.

St. John's Church.

Rev. C. E. Bentham, rector's assistant in St. John's Church, has been offered the charge of the Episcopal Church in Ventura, and has accepted it. He will begin his work there on February 1. Tuesday will be the Festival of the Epiphany in the church calendar, and the day will be observed by special services in St. John's Church. There will be a celebration of the Holy Eucharist in the morning, and prayer in the evening. A missionary address by the rector will have special reference to the late missionary council in Philadelphia, at the evening service.

Mass for Mrs. Bradbury.

This morning at 8:30 o'clock a solemn requiem high mass will be celebrated at the chapel of the Boyle Heights Orphanage of the Sisters of Charity for the repose of the soul of the late Mrs. Ramona Bradbury. This mass is offered as a memorial from the children of the orphanage for their beloved benefactress. Rev. P. J. McDonald, C.M., will be the celebrant, Rev. W. J. Gorrell, C. M., deacon; Rev. J. Lilley, C.M., subdeacon; and Rev. Father Green, C.M., master of ceremonies. The children of the orphanage will chant the Gregorian mass, under the direction of Rev. Father Cody, C.M., of St. Vincent's College. Friends are invited.

Sodality's House Warming.

The new headquarters of the Young Men's Sodality of St. Vincent's parish, No. 1340 South Hope street, was the scene of a brilliant gathering last night. It was in the nature of a house warming. The newly-furnished rooms were visited by many of the friends of the sodalists, and during the evening a pleasing programme was rendered, which included a musical selection by Prof. T. E. Wilde, organist, of St. Vincent's; songs by Gabriel Durnerin and Henry F. Daly; recitations by Jesse Boyce, Alfred Forthman, John Harrington, John McCarty, and and address of welcome by Rev. F. X. McCabe, C.M., who is the spiritual director of the Young Men's Sodality. Among the prominent visitors last night were the Very Rev. J. S. Glass, C.M., D.D.; Revs. E. A. Antill, W. J. Gorrell, D. J. Healy, J. J. Lilly, P. H. McDonnell and J. E. Green.

BREVITIES.

Dr. Walker's subjects at Immanuel Church tomorrow: Morning, "The Brightening Border of a New Day;" evening, "The Dreams of Life that We Should Cherish." The church will be comfortably heated. A cordial welcome for strangers.

First Presbyterian Church, corner Twentieth and Figueroa. Service Sunday morning by the pastor, Rev. Aquilla Webb. Communion and reception of members. Afternoon service at 4 p.m. Sermon by the pastor on "Models for the New Year." University, Washington and Grand-avenue cars pass within a block of the church.

Nearly 450 men have been studying at the Y.M.C.A. Night School during the past three months. These men are improving their minds during their leisure time. Better join them for the winter term, which opens January 5. Call at 259 S. Broadway, for particulars.

A sacred concert will be given at the Indepedent Church of Christ (Simpson Auditorium,) on Sunday evening at 7:45, by the choir, assisted by other good musical talent. Further announcement is contained in the Church Notices and Church Music.

The firm of Richards & Robinson, real estate, is this day (January 1, 1903,) dissolved. E. G. Robinson will continue in the real estate business at 501 Grant building, Fourth and Broadway. Telephone, Hope 4441.

Pictorial Tournament of Roses Number Pasadena Daily News; 20 pages, on fine half-tone paper, colored cover, elegant souvenir paper of the tournament, 10 cents, at news stands, wrapped for mailing.

Francis Murphy at Blanchard Hall, Sunday evening, 7:30. Subject, "The New Year." Ex-Gov. R. C. Powers of Arizona will preside. Music by Charles Laub, assisted by First M. E. Church orchestra.

Telephone your want ads. Ring up Press One any time of day or night, and The Times will give prompt and careful attention. Rate 1 cent a word each insertion. Minimum charge 25 cents.

Bishop John W. Hamilton will preach at the Vincent M. E. Church, Twenty-ninth and Main streets, tomorrow evening. Revival services each evening of next week.

Rev. Hugh K. Walker will speak at the Y.W.C.A. Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. His subject will be "An Old Friend for the New Year."

French dinner, 35 cents, 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Woodward's, 114 West Second street.

Fine Cabinet photos reduced to $1, $1.75 per dozen. Sunbeam, 226 S. Main.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Postal Telegraph Cable Co., No. 238 South Spring street, for Mrs. C. H. Spence, Helen Clydesdale, Mrs. F. Kaltzer Lyle, Lee A. Mitchell, T. F. Crank.

There are undelivered telegrams at the office of the Western Union Telegraph Company for J. P. Brayton, Man Chong, Miss Pauline Moore, Mrs. H. Marple, George L. Rhode, Mrs. D. Forbes Fisher, C. S. Martin, A. H. Hoffman, Edd. B. Lovel, E. H. Anthony, Jacob Tomasch, Luke Lynn, Oscar C. Fanck, James B. Cook, Tom A. Riggs, N. B. Stetson, W. Bragg, E. I. Holden, Monsieur A. Corneran, President McFadden, F. A. Dille, H. C. Albers, Jr., Harry P. Strobe.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday from the office of the County Clerk:

Washington T. Barr, aged 52, native of Tennessee, resident of Los Angeles, and Lena Barr, aged 40, native of Arkansas and resident of Los Angeles.

John Davis, aged 32, native of Russia, resident of Los Angeles, and Mary Matukaitys, aged 25, native of Russia, resident of Los Angeles.

John Barnes, aged 22, native of Colorado, resident of Los Angeles, and Nellie Armejo, aged 24, native of Mexico, resident of Los Angeles.

Teleforo Erro, aged 21, native of Spain, resident of Pomona, and Catherine Etchart, aged 26, native of France, resident of Los Angeles.

DEATH RECORD.

DAWSON—At his late residence, No. 222 North Hill street, on January 1, 1903, J. M. Dawson. Funeral at residence of H. W. Dawson, at Kansas, January 4, 1903. (Santa Ana papers please copy.)

GILES—In this city, January 1, 1903, Jacob K. Giles of Nordhoff, Cal. Funeral at Universalist Church, Santa Paula, Cal., Sunday, January 4, 1903, at 1:30 p.m.

LIVESEY—Suddenly in this city, Friday, January 2, 1903, Iva Rice Livesey, beloved wife of Otis W. Livesey, and daughter of the late Edwin A. Rice. Services at the funeral parlor of W. H. Sutch, No. 618 South Spring street, Sunday, January 4, at 2 p.m. Interment at Pasadena.

THE members of Bartlett-Logan Post, No. 6, G.A.R., are hereby requested to attend the funeral of our late comrade, Dr. George R. Weeks, from his late residence, No. 1201 Newton street, at 2 o'clock p.m. on Sunday, January 4. Comrades from other posts invited to be present. R. HEFFELFINGER, Commander.

JOHN DAVIS, Adjutant.

ASYLUM OF LOS ANGELES COMMANDERY No. 9, K. T. Los Angeles, Jan. 2, 1903. Sir Knights: Appear at our asylum, in full Templar uniform, Sunday afternoon, January 4, at 1 o'clock sharp, to assist in the funeral of our late frater, Sir Dr. George Bacup Weeks, who will be buried with Knight Templar service only. By order of W. A. HAMMOND, Commander.

Attest: W. B. SCARBOROUGH, Recorder.

Card of Thanks.

The undersigned wish to thank the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen and many friends for their kind sympathy and attention in our sad bereavement. Mr. and Mrs. William Hayward, Ruth Hayward, Mr. and Mrs. William Ergmann, Jr.

Orr & Hines Co.
Funeral directors. Lady undertaker takes charge of all ladies and children. Tel. Main 42. No. 667 South Broadway.

Los Angeles Transfer Co.
Will check baggage at your residence to any point. Office, 141 W. Fifth st. Tel. M. 49 or 349.

Reisman, Meyer & Co., Undertakers,
1439 S. Main. Tel. W. 237. Lady assistant.

Bresee Bros.' Lady Undertaker
Has charge of all ladies and children. Broadway and Sixth street. Tel. Main 242.

Pierce Bros. & Co., Undertakers,
518 S. Flower. Tel. B. 127; lady attendant.

City Transfer Co.
Trunks, inside residence district, 25 cents. 201 South Main street. Tel. Main 55.

If You Want to go East C. Haydock,
Agent, Illinois Central R.R., 228 South Spring.

Peck & Chase Co., Undertakers,
423-5 South Hill. Tel. M. 61. Lady attendant.

Robert L. Garrett & Co.,
Undertakers, 349 North Main st. Tel. Main 75.

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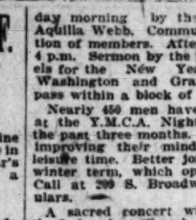

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Greatness is simple and humble. Booker T. Washington is simple, humble and great. He is not great because he is a black man, but in spite of it. Six thousand people listened to him here yesterday. They gave rapt attention, and clamorous applause. He made three talks, and all who heard them departed impressed that they had been in contact with an exalted master of life, whose ideas are austere, but whose person is gentle.

Mr. Washington says he does not like to lecture. Men born with great gifts often become disgusted with the exercise of those gifts. It is said that Shakespeare often regretted that he ever tried to write, as Michael Angelo cursed the day he became a sculptor, Lincoln said he was not an orator, yet today the public schools of England, Germany and Holland use his orations as texts for children.

Mr. Washington is not a lecturer; he is an orator. He is also an economist, a philosopher, a constructive statesman, and a great leader of a people. His talk has dramatic sequence, and is pregnant with vitality. It is enthusiastic, bold, sincere. He forgets himself in his fervor. He launches out with sublime nonchalance, and he carries his audience with him. He thrusts his hands in his pockets; he loils upon the desk; he mops his face with a handkerchief.

But you do not notice it. You forget he is a black man. He seems an inspired apostle to the whole human race. While speaking of the negro, he is talking to all colors and creeds. It is as though a child with simple prattle had confounded schools and systems. The bootblack on the street can understand him. The fine gentleman applauds him. You bend double with laughter under his witticisms. You are startled at his absolute logic—yet all is simple—as simple as Abraham Lincoln. His terrible intensity seizes you. You could not escape if you wished, yet you love the man. His sympathy is universal, and through it all shines a cool, penetrating reason that illumines his sentences as a glint of sunlight flashes up the facet of a diamond.

He commences a talk slowly, almost with diffidence. He seems to fear the great audience. He is awkward and shiftless. He shoves a hand first in one pocket, then in the other. Finally, he thrusts them behind his back. Then he fumbles a handkerchief. Soon he forgets himself and is at ease.

You notice that he is a negro, though his skin is light. He has a broad, flat nose. The bunched, corrugated face shot with intelligence shows he is a superior negro. A great head rises above expansive eyes. When excited those eyes actually dart fire; in repose they are mild and luminous. The head is high in the lobes of ideality rising above his temples; but it slants back from the eyebrows. There is nothing of the dreamer or poet about it; it is a practical head. He has the straight jaw and jagged mouth of Teddy Roosevelt. You see his square, knotty hand as he rests it, clinched, upon the desk or shakes it high in the air to emphasize a point. It is the hand at once of a great executive and of a man of action. You know yourself to be in the presence of a huge character. His body has the poise of one whose senses are in exquisite balance. He is of medium size. If you have been favored to come close to him you will have felt the atmosphere of cleanliness that enfolds him as with a nimbus. It is in his person, in his eyes, in his manner. There is little polish about him.

Above all, he has tact. This is supreme and authoritative. It is in every utterance, and it shines forth from everything he does. It is not the tact of shrewdness, but the tact of ambitious humbleness and intelligence—the tact of great leaders. It is the tact that added to sincerity distinguishes from a politician a statesman.

Mr. Washington talks of himself very plainly. He is neither modest nor vain. There is hardly even pride. He talks of himself as though he were another man. He is impersonal. He uses himself as an object lesson. He tells of his rise from slavery. His language is homely, and his stories illustrative. He does not spare the black man. He realizes the great seriousness of the race problem. He asks for the recognition of three things—the brains, skill and dignity of labor. He enunciates vast and vital principles. What he says is worth as much to the white man as to the black. The problem he attempts to solve is universal, and his utterances will be as applicable 200 years from now, as Shakespeare's dramas are today.

As he rises to the spirit of the meeting, and finds his immense audience silent with interest, and responsive to his every gesture and mood, he throws off his inertia. He even grows robustious and chews his sentences. Nothing could be better evidence of his lack of rhetorical art than the way he snarls at his audience. He curls the tongue of his eloquence over them. He snaps forth utterances profound and scintillant in simplicity. "An idea goes forever," he cries, and, again: "To build a house is better than to know the principle of building one." His voice grows gutteral. It almost rasps. It evolves a deep sensitiveness. He dwells on the divine omnipotence of a fact, and his face wrinkles into seams of creative energy as he bends forth in a titanic rapture of sincerity and conviction. He is painting his vision of practical ideality.

He has the energy of practical zeal, of hard-headed sense, and a religious exaltation. It could be said of him as it was said of Savanorola, that "there is a fire in the marrow of his bones, which will burn him up, if he does not let it out."

BEFORE THE TEACHERS.

WASHINGTON'S GOOD STORIES.

Had the decorations in Hazard's Pavilion been especially designed for the appearance of Booker T. Washington, they could not have been more effective and suitable than when he stepped upon the platform yesterday afternoon and faced the great body of the State Teachers' Association.

The whole house was magnificently covered with the flag of our country, and with flags over him, flags in front of him, and flags all about him, Mr. Washington delivered his message, inspired by the surroundings of his birth and of devotion to his race, with the fire of reality burning in every sentence.

"I never come before an audience of educators without recalling my own first contact with education," he began. "First, I had no name; I had all my life been called just 'Booker;' I thought that was enough name for anybody, but I found other boys in the school having two or three names, and I thought it was partiality. I went to the teacher about it and asked her if we could not find another name. 'What shall it be?' she asked. I studied over it a moment, and then I said: 'Call me Washington,' and ever after that I was Washington.

"Then I had no hat; other boys had hats—store hats—and they pointed their fingers at me. I told my mother, and wanted her to buy me a hat. This is what she said:

"'My boy, I sympathize with you, but there is one thing I am not gwine to do—I am not gwine to get something for you that I can't pay for.'

"She took two pieces of cloth, and sewed them together, and that was the first hat I ever owned. Since then I have had several hats, but I have never had anything to cover my head that I prized like that. I value it because my mother was too honest to go into debt that I might have a better one, and again because it was made by my sainted mother." [Phenomenal applause.]

BOOKER T. WASHINGTON ADDRESSING THE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.
[From photo by Schumacher.]

greeted this sentiment concerning the slave mother who could give to her son not even a name.]

The speaker then told a story of an experience he once had in Alabama, when he and a friend were traveling through the country.

"When we went down to breakfast," he said, "we were asked by the colored woman who waited on the table whether we would have long or short sweetening in our coffee. He nudged me and I nudged him, and finally my friend said he would take long. The woman dipped her finger into a jug of molasses and stirred it into his coffee. Without the least hesitation, I then said I would take short. She then took from a bowl a lump of something that looked like maple sugar. She bit it in two, and put one portion in her own coffee and the other portion in mine."

After the laughter had subsided he continued: "I wish to assure you that both my long and short talks are very disagreeable." [Great laughter and applause.]

"As I came into this hall a gentleman asked me if I would not undertake to prove that the North and not the South was responsible for slavery. I'll illustrate that by telling you the story of Uncle Zeke and his pig.

"Uncle Zeke sold the pig to a white man for $3, but before he got it home it broke away and returned to Uncle Zeke. About that time another white man came and wanted to buy the pig, and Uncle Zeke could not resist the temptation, so he sold it again for $3, and the new purchaser started off with the pig, only to meet the first purchaser coming back after it. They compared notes, and then went to Uncle Zeke with the question:

"'What kind of a way is this you have of treating us white folks?'

"'Well, 'fore God; can't you white folks go off an' settle dat 'mong yourselves?'

"I am not seeking to educate you educators; I was born a slave; I am pretty sure. I was born some time and some place. I was 12 years of age before I ever slept in a bed; my place was on the floor, wrapped in a bundle of rags.

"One morning I remember going to the master's house with my mother, and hearing some papers read, and my mother leaned over to me and said: 'Now, my son, we are free.'"

The speaker then recounted the story of his life, which took him to West Virginia, where he worked in a coal mine. While at work in this mine came the turn in the life of the obscure slave boy. He overheard two miners talking about Hampton Institute, and what they said concerning the possibilities open to any colored boy, through the good offices of the institution, made him at once determined to find his way there. He tells graphically of all the hardships encountered; how he begged rides between long walks, and finally arrived penniless at Richmond, Va., slept in a coal cellar, and worked at loading pig iron on a ship. Of his first night in Richmond, he said:

"I found myself there with neither money nor friends, so I walked the street. You know when a fellow gets hungry, he begins to walk. I don't know how it is with you, but I've been that way many a time."

A GOOD EXAMINATION.

After a while he reached Hampton with 50 cents in his pocket and applied for admission to the institution, but he said he was at once impressed with the fact that the teacher looked upon him as an unfit subject for examination, and in order to get rid of him as easily as possible, she gave him a broom and told him to sweep one of the rooms.

"I swept that room three times," said Washington, "and I dusted it four times. Just as I was through the teacher came in with her handkerchief in her hand. She was one of those New England Yankees, who knew just where to find dirt, every time. She took her handkerchief, but she couldn't find one lota of dust anywhere, and she said, 'I guess you'll do.'

"Now that, fellow-teachers, was my college examination, and I believe it was the best one I ever passed.

"It was while I was working my way through Hampton that I promised to give my life to the work of benefiting my race in the 'black belt.' In 1881, in a district where my race outnumbered yours as ten to one, I began my work.

"It was said that nobody but a black man and a mule could live there, and when you found one you found the

a very large measure, the basis for our industrial work.

"We began teaching agriculture very soon after the institution was started in 1881, with one hoe and a blind mule. This feature of our work has grown until, at the present time, we cultivate by the labor of the students, over 800 acres of land, and not only make the teaching of agriculture productive and valuable from an economic standpoint, but at the same time we make the farm in its stock raising, poultry raising, bee keeping, dairy and other features, an object lesson for our students and the people in that section, where 80 per cent. of them depend upon agriculture for their living.

"Agriculture provides that which they shall eat, and you cannot put any nation upon its feet religiously, morally or physically until you have settled that greatest industrial problem.

"Counting those who have graduated from our full courses, together with those who have taken a partial course to the extent that they are able to do efficient work, we have sent out from the Tuskegee Institute over 2000 men and women, who are engaged as teachers in the schoolroom, teachers of industries, or are themselves engaged in direct industrial effort. Our graduates are not only in demand among our own people in the South, but the demand for them to take charge of farms, dairies and other industrial enterprises for the southern white people is greater than we can supply. I believe that our people will get upon their feet and solve what is known as the race problem in the South, just in proportion as they can become useful. Usefulness in the highest sense will constitute our most lasting and potent protection. Our people must be taught to do a common thing in an uncommon manner—to do a thing as well or better than someone else. Any race or individual that has learned to do some one thing better than anyone else has solved this problem.

CHRISTIANIZING LABOR.

"What our people need to know is that there is a moral, physical, Christianizing influence goes with labor of the hands. The greatest lesson for them to learn is the lesson to work—the difference is between working and being worked. They must learn to put brains, skill and dignity into the common services of life."

Mr. Washington used as an illustration the advanced farmer riding under a red umbrella on his patent corn planter, as compared with the barefooted black man and an old mule going a half-mile an hour, saying that the latter could not expect to compete with the former.

"You are going to buy your corn from the farmer who gives you the best corn and the cheapest, whether he be black, white, brown, yellow or ginger-cake color.

"I can recall the time when I hated the sight of a white man because of the oppression of my race, but now, thank God, that is all gone and I love all races. I teach our people that the way for them to do is to take their places, and if others are small, they must be great. The way to test a true gentleman is not when he is with his own, but when he is in contact with those beneath him.

"The way to belittle themselves is to learn to hate somebody; the way to lift themselves up is to learn to love somebody. That's what we're doing at Tuskegee."

NIGHT MEETING.

SPEAKER AT HIS BEST.

No prize fight ever drew a larger crowd to Hazard's Pavilion than came in the evening. This crowd, however, was composed of the most cultured people in the city, and of the teachers of the State. There were about 3000 present. Chairs were packed into the aisles, the side benches were filled, the first gallery overflowing, and even the second gallery had its quota. Two hundred educators sat on the stage. President A. E. Shumate of the California State Teachers' Association presided.

Mr. Washington wore a tuxedo, while in the daytime he had appeared in a common business suit. He plunged his hands in his pockets, and rumpled the stiff white shirt front. It was only after he was launched into his subject that he and every one else forgot all about clothes.

The evening talk seemed to lack some of the spontaneous interest of the rather informal afternoon lecture, though it was full of the characteristic fire of the man. His command of his audience was as complete, and his knowledge of his subject as sure. His humor was of the straight variety that Mark Twain classifies as "truth that people think funny." His utterance of deep moral truths and of fundamental principles of human nature were received with cracking laughter—as he meant they should be received.

He spoke, for instance, of white men who had "100 per cent. of good Anglo-Saxon blood—or," he put in parenthesis, "as good as you can get it."

This is a sample of his jokes, none of which are delivered for the sake of the joke, but always to illumine some point. Though he took all sting from his references to the white man, he probed the weakness of the race prejudice with a subtlety that turned away hatred with a laugh. This discarding of contention and disarming of prejudice put him in immediate rapport with his audience.

In dwelling on the value of practical manual labor in the South before the war, he said that a good mechanic sold for $700, while, he added, "You couldn't have got as much as 50 cents for the president of this association." There was laughter and applause at this for thirteen minutes.

REVERENT FUN.

Mr. Washington made much of the religious enthusiasm of his people—he always referred to them affectionately as "my people"—and said that a black man could feel as much, religiously, in ten minutes as a white man could in an hour. He told of an old darky woman, who cried and yelled in a public church meeting, responding when asked what troubled her, that she had "ligion." The reply was, "This is no place to get religion."

"But," said Mr. Washington, impressively, "I do not speak irreverently." The absolute change in his audience from violent laughter at his story to respect for his sincerity, was as complete as that effected in the theater by a great actor—and more impressive.

The talks during the day had been on the methods of his institute at Tuskegee, and of his personal account of his own rise from slavery. In the evening, the address was more formal, though it could hardly be more earnest. He then discussed the results attained at Tuskegee, of whose negro industrial school he is president. He formulated the race problem in its comprehensive entirety, and proposed the solution.

Labor, done with skill and dignity, he offers as the simple remedy of the evils now encompassing both blacks and whites in the South. Though he never assumed the province of a universal teacher, it is obvious that the application of his philosophy is wider in its scope than the extent of the race problem. The address, in part, follows:

SOME THINGS HE SAID.

"A little more than forty years ago there was but one relation in the South between the races—that of owner and slave, master and servant. During the last thirty-five years all of us at the South, black and white, have been trying as best we could, to adjust ourselves to new conditions, and when we consider the tremendous industrial and political revolution which took place within a few months, I think all of us have great cause to rejoice that the outlook is no worse than it is. When we consider the tremendous change, I see no reason for discouragement; but, on the other hand, many reasons for hope and encouragement. What the situation requires just now, most of all, is patience, forbearance and hard, unselfish work, and money used in wise directions.

"While slavery had its evils, it was during the existence of that institution that many of our people were taught habits of industry, were given skill of hand, that enabled them to become of tremendous economic value. Every slave plantation in the South had not only its common laborers, but in many cases scores of skilled laborers. Freedom brought us face to face with new privileges and new responsibilities, and at the same time with new, economic and industrial conditions."

A SERIOUS PROBLEM.

"One of the most serious tasks which the race has to perform at the present time is to try to adjust itself to the conditions of free labor with its increasing skill and increasing demands in the way of intelligence. In slavery the negro was worked, in freedom the great lesson which he wants to learn is to work—not only to work but to seek after work and to love it for its own sake as well as for the financial reward.

"It is not the negro who has been properly trained in hand, head and heart who commits crime. It is the ignorant, shiftless negro, who has no regular occupation, who has not learned to love labor, and who does not own a home, who is usually the criminal. When a man becomes the owner of a piece of land, and a decent house, and has a bank account, he becomes, I notice, at once a conservative, law-abiding citizen, and one who can be trusted to vote intelligently for the best interests of the community in which he lives.

"The negro in the South as a rule works, but he has not learned in any large degree to use the results of his labor. The problem of the graduates who go out from Tuskegee is largely to teach them how to educate their children, how to buy land, build decent homes, and to save money. Already we have gotten to the point in many sections where the negro has become a taxpayer, is buying land, keeping out of debt, and is educating his children, and I find in the South, as it is the world over, that when a man gets into this position he has the respect and confidence of both races.

"Mere book education alone, as valuable as it is, will not save our race. Mental education, whether for a black man or a white man, serves to increase one's wants. Unless while the wants are being increased, we give the student skill by which he can supply those increased wants along lines at which he can find employment, we are in danger of making a mistake. Many of the occupations which were formerly in our hands in cities, such as barbering, whitewashing, cooking, laundering, waiting, have passed into the hands of others, largely for the reason that our people have not been fitted to perform these duties in the very best manner. We must be taught to do the little things of life well, and use them as stepping-stones to higher things. No race that does not learn to sweep a floor so well that it cannot be improved upon, is likely to be represented in any large degree in Congress. I am tempted to add that it seems to me the whole future of our race hinges upon the question as to whether or not we can make ourselves of such indispensable value in the community where we live that the community will feel that it cannot dispense with our presence and our service. No man who learns to do a thing better than somebody else is left without encouragement. The way to solve the problem that confronts us is to teach the negro youth to do a thing better than somebody else.

"While I cannot and will not for a moment shut my eyes to the difficulties that surround us, difficulties that are far-reaching and hard to overcome, I cannot fail to see the encouraging features in the development of our race. In my opinion the problem growing out of our presence in this country is the most serious and far-reaching and perplexing one that is before this country for solution, I believe, however, that we have found the way for its safe, gradual and permanent solution. What we want most of all is education for all the people, education that will keep in mind the past history, the environment and present needs of those sought to be enlightened."

After the address hundreds crowded to the platform to shake hands with Mr. Washington. Among these were two negroes.

STATE ASSOCIATION.

TEACHERS ABOUT TO ADJOURN.

The general session of the State Teachers' Association in Hazard's Pavilion, yesterday afternoon, was attended by several thousand people, the attraction being an unusually entertaining programme. It is a question, though, whether the educational discussions formed a very large part of the attraction, when offset by the gymnastic show of the Turnverein Germania and the lecture of Booker T. Washington.

Elmer E. Brown had a paper of more than usual interest upon the subject of "Education and National Character," in the course of which he said:

"It is the purpose of this paper to persuade all teachers to become politicians, because there is no teacher who has not influence over some person in official life, high or low.

"The education of America has many defects," he declared; "but after all is said and done, I believe it to be intrinsically the best education in the world."

Cecil W. Mark of San Francisco told of the system of selecting teachers in that city, by a secret competitive system, that removes all the unpleasant features of their selection by the members of the board.

Karl Ross, physical director of the Turnverein, introduced a company of girls and a company of boys, and gave an excellent exhibition of the system under which they trained.

Booker T. Washington was then introduced, and for an hour and a half entertained the audience. At the close of his address, although it was announced that the distinguished gentleman would go from there to the reception at the Chamber of Commerce, where all could greet him if they wished, they would not have it so, but filed across the stage until almost the last one took him by the hand.

The reception at the Chamber of Commerce followed, where hundreds of the teachers were greeted and served with the now famous orange punch of that organization.

At the night session in Hazard's Pavilion the only attraction was Mr. Washington, with two musical numbers at the opening by the Laurel Quintette and Charles A. Bowes.

The final session of the State asso-

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A Glance at the Field of Fresh Literature—What Authors are Saying and Doin

NEW BOOKS.

REVIEWS.

BY PROF. GUY CARLETON LEE,
Of Johns Hopkins University.

Assisted by Mitchell Carroll, Ph. D., of the Columbian University; Alfred Brittain, Ph. D., of Hobart College; Joseph C. Ayer, Ph. D., of Harvard University, and other distinguished critics connected with other leading colleges and universities.

LITERARY EVOLUTION.

[SPECIALLY CONTRIBUTED TO THE TIMES.]

THE process of evolution is always evident, at least in modified form, in art as in nature. No more in the one than in the other is there such a thing as spontaneous generation, nor is there any unaccountable gulf to be found between products; there is always an observable line of continuity, going back in unbroken sequence to the uttermost limit of our knowledge in the past, and having palpable self-relation throughout. With the more important manifestations of this law we have in this article nothing to do; we wish to consider it simply as exemplified and determining in literature. That there is such a thing as literary evolution is evident to the most superficial student of letters. The product of an age in the field of letters is no accident; it is the result of certain definite and discoverable causes, precedent and potent, and is so fixed by its causes that it would not be an impossible thing to prophesy the literature of a coming period by one's knowledge of that of the period immediately preceding.

Though we have thus spoken generally, it is our intention to consider the most notable exception to the rules which we have laid down; and that exception is to be found in the present age. There has never been a time, as far as our knowledge informs us, when result in literature has been so independent of discoverable cause. Up to the close of the Middle Victorian period there were well-defined lines of progress and evolution, and every result that was perceptible could be referred to a gradually-evolved principle and rule. To take the two most recognized branches of literature, fiction and poetry, Dickens, Thackeray, Eliot, and the rest of the great novelists of that time were the legitimate and logical resultants of their predecessors, Fielding, Richardson and others of the earlier days of the modern novel, while Tennyson was the successor in more than name of Keats and Shelley, and Browning of Wordsworth. These predecessors again could find their literary causes of existence in men who had lived and written in the centuries before them, and the line was practically unbroken—though of course having continual modifications and even ramifications—from Chaucer to Tennyson, from Shakespeare to Dickens, however the methods of expression may have become changed.

At the end of the Middle Victorian period, however, and with the passing of the great writers of that time, there came into evidence symptoms of divergence. Gradually there began to appear a literature which was answerable to no known rules of origin, which was in a way spontaneous and in a sense original. Again was this especially true in fiction and poetry. George Meredith alone among novelists—of course we are referring, now and throughout, to those typical of their day and famous for their work—remained true to the normal line of development; with all his eccentricities of diction, Mr. Meredith remained true to the progressive tradition of the novel and held to the way of logical evolution. In poetry, among those whose names are worthy to be kept in remembrance, Thomas Algernon Swinburne almost alone represented the law of continuity; he was exaggerated in his methods and at times unbridled in his license, but he was a logical product of the conditions of the past as modified by the necessities and to-be-expected changes of the present. But, having named these men, we find no others of note who can be claimed as the gift of the past to the future. The law of continuity was broken.

Even had we space, it would weary our readers were we to attempt to set forth the evidence of the breaking of the law. Let all those who care to think upon such subjects look for themselves upon the array of the best-known authors of the beginning of the twentieth century and endeavor to find their literary origin. It will be found, in the vast majority of cases, to be an impossibility. It is not merely that these men and women have added to or modified the methods of their predecessors; that would be but the working of the established rule; it is that they have no literary predecessors, no origins from which they can claim development. Nor is the explanation to be found in the diverse conditions of the new era. It is in the obtaining of changing conditions that we find the reason for the constant evolution that has been in progress from the beginnings of English letters—to which alone we are referring in this article—until the time of the cessation of the law. It might indeed be said that at no time during the history of the Anglo-Saxon races have the alterations of conditions been so sudden and revolutionary as during the latter portion of the nineteenth century; but, even admitting the truth of this statement, still the explanation for the sudden breaking away from all literary tradition is not to be found therein. For it must be remembered that these revolutionists did not at first find response to their appeal to popular admiration. Rossetti, one of the foremost revolutionists in poetry—though of course his activities were of earlier date than the time that we are considering—never threatened the supremacy of Tennyson or Browning, though he formed a cult which had some strength; Thomas Hardy, who is absolutely without a literary predecessor, won fame but slowly, and was not hailed as great until the wisdom of the passing day had fallen. As for the lesser lights, those who are now placed upon pinnacles that all men may worship, they have always failed of appeal to those who are not entirely possessed with the spirit of modernity, and we who remember Dickens cannot accept Kipling.

The last quarter of the nineteenth century saw the gradual emancipation of literature from all law. There was a violent breaking away from logical progress, a sudden revolution in the line of advance. It is probable that a partial reason for this state of things and its result may be found in the revolt against Romanticism; but this is not of itself sufficient to account for the consequences. There came a time—endurance to the present and with no signs of end—when literature abandoned all rules and turned from homogeneity to heterogeneity, when it denied the authority of tradition and declared itself beyond the power of law. In its main and recognized expressions, it became the Prodigal Son of the parable and turned its back upon its father's house; nay, it even flouted its parentage and its country, and went into foreign lands in search of discovery. Moreover, it suddenly developed an irresponsibility, a fickleness, which precluded the possibility of a definite movement. Starting from a new basis and having a settled line of progress, Poetry ceased to endeavor to build higher the noble monument which it had already reared, and betook itself to forming scattered mounds of various and often grotesque shapes; fiction no longer strove to be representative of the spirit of its age or even to express the conditions of that age; it wended its way at its own sweet will, and has thus, in short time, come to be utterly void of tendency and but an exotic in the garden of the period in which it lives.

We do not speak of deterioration; that there has been, and very great, but even this has not been a legitimate deterioration, caused by dearth of genius and overdevelopment of talent. We speak entirely of the phenomenon, observable to all who care to see, of the absolute reversal of every known rule, of the complete cessation of every known law of literature. For the first time in the history of letters, we have a literature which is entirely devoid of characteristics, which is reducable to no power of science or art. It is not merely, nor mostly, that weeds fill the garden where flowers were wont to grow; it is that the weeds are of new species, having no determinable origin and beyond classification. This is the strange phenomenon which we have observed during the last three decades—this coming of a chaos where formerly there had been a cosmos. It is a reversal of the usual order of things, and it is not a reversal that is pleasant to contemplate.

Yet, remembering how history shows us similar phenomena at times, we need not despair of the future. The rise of the French Revolution, with its harvest of blood and its mockery of freedom, seemed to many to threaten the existence of society and to be the beginning of the end of all things; but we of these later times can see how that terrible time held in bosom potential blessings for mankind and how its madness produced, by very reaction, a nobler sanity than the world had yet known. So it may well be in literature. It may well be that from the chaotic foundation of the present there may rise a nobler cosmos than we have yet known, that there will come new traditions, new laws, which will bring such result as we hardly dare to hope for. We must at least believe in the possibility of this, even though we can see no signs of it; for otherwise we must despair of the future of English letters.

HISTORY.

Early Republican Society.

SOCIAL LIFE IN THE EARLY REPUBLIC. By Anne Hollingsworth Wharton. J. B. Lippincott Company, Philadelphia.

The history of the early days of the republic in which we live seems to be attracting more and more attention as the years go by, and this is especially to be noted in matters connected with social history. As we get further from the young days of our country, so do we become more and more world-for details of the life which was lived in those days; and the consequence is to be found in a plethora of volumes upon subjects connected with the birth of a distinctively American society. Sometimes these books take shape of histories of localities and landmarks, into which histories are interwoven tales of the persons who once lived in the places described; sometimes the books are frankly personal in their details, taking certain periods of our social history—in the more technical meaning of the word—and describing the conditions as they then existed and the personalities who lived under and in them. Such a book is the one before us, "Social Life in the Early Republic," by Anne Hollingsworth Wharton. Miss Wharton has evidently been indefatigable in collecting data regarding the most prominent of the early republican society, both men and women, and she has her reward in the consciousness of work well done. Her book is one that must appeal to all who are interested in the manners and customs as well as the personalities of the formative period influences of our young society. The book is handsome, too, and is well suited as a memento of the holiday season, being bound in red and gold, well printed upon deckle-edged paper, and capitally illustrated with reproductions of portraits of the people described, the originals of the portraits being for the most part from the hands of masters in painting. The frontispiece is in colors and is a reproduction of Peale's famous portrait of Mrs. Richard Gittings (Polly Sterett) of Baltimore. In all ways, the book is attractive to look upon.

Miss Wharton has begun with social life in the old capital under Washington, and has brought the story thereof down to the days when society itself began to be disrupted by the portents of the coming conflict. She has done her work admirably, in a somewhat desultory fashion entirely congenial to the subject-matter and very delightful to read. She has filled her book with descriptive anecdotes as well as with descriptions of personalities, and she has succeeded in giving us a very vivid as well as interesting picture of the times and people with which and whom she deals. She has much to tell us of the prevailing social customs, but she prefers to instruct us as to the characteristics of the people who made our social—and often political—history in the early days of the past century, and she succeeds in giving us a series of most lifelike portraits.

The one fault—and that by no means a disabling one, particularly with the audience to which the book chiefly appeals—is a lack of sense of humor which is at times very perceptible. This makes Miss Wharton occasionally somewhat tame in anecdote and ineffective in narrative; but this is rarely the case, and when she is serious she is very satisfactory in her manner and methods.

We can very cordially commend the book to all who are interested in the youth of our social structure, when it knew something of true democratic simplicity, and had a certain individuality of its own. There have been published not a few works of the class of that before us, and some of them very admirable of their kind; but, among its real rivals, we know of none that "Social Life in the Early Republic" has greatly to fear as superior in any respect. C. W. J.

Our Merchant Ships.

THE AMERICAN MERCHANT MARINE. By Winthrop L. Marvin. Charles Scribner's Sons, New York.

"The American Merchant Marine," by Winthrop Lippitt Marvin, tells a story which is most interesting—most fascinating, indeed—to all lovers of the sea. It is a story of progress; but, as in most such cases, as the progress advances the interest, not to say romance, of the subject dies out. It is when Mr. Marvin is telling us facts and incidents concerning the ships of old—the white-winged sea birds that fled from land to land ere replaced by steam kettles that plow doggedly through the waves and require for their management as much seamanship as does a scow—that he holds our attention. Dana first called notice to the possibilities of the American merchant marine as a subject for the literary artist; and though he does his work in an entirely different manner there is visible in Mr. Marvin's writing some of the spirit that made Dana a poet of the sea. True, Mr. Marvin deals with facts almost exclusively, nor does he seek to invest them with the glamor of romance; but then the facts are themselves so romantic, so poetic indeed, that they insist upon presenting these qualities to the reader. In the chapter, for example, dealing with "The Yankee Whaleman," there is constantly upspringing the spirit of romance, when we read of battles with whales—battles in which there not infrequently enters the personal element, recalling memories of Melville's famous story, "Moby Dick"—and long voyages which almost rival that of the Flying Dutchman. Again, there is romance in the very conception of the ship of old time. Here is the spirit that made them little less than living things:

"All this meant vastly more than mere ownership. Local patriotism and trade customs of the day combined to bring these vessels often to their home ports. There they were freighted by the merchants who owned them; thither they returned deep-laden with the odorous spoil of distant lands. The black Indiaman, creeping in with the tide, was an object of keen interest to many more than the consignees of her cargo and the families of her bronzed and bearded crew. . . . No hands could heal the wounds of a strained and weary ship so faithfully as those that had built and fitted her. It was a work of love; it was a point of honor. We of today, looking back, can imagine the solicitude with which the voyages of a ship were followed, when she was as familiar to hundreds of her townspeople as the walls of their own homes, and can picture the delight with which the crowds on the wharf-ends hailed a tall vessel from Archangel, or Mauritius, or Canton, with her canvas festooned by bunt-lines and clew-lines, warping in to her owner's dock. 'I made that fore-topsail,' said one man proudly. 'That mainyard's mine,' is another's boast. 'Well, my old hawser's stood the strain,' smiles another at the tense line crawling around the capstan to a deep-throated chorus.'"

This sentiment has faded from the sea—more's the pity; but the breath of it is in Mr. Marvin's book and will be welcome to those who look upon the ocean as something more than a beaten highway of commerce. On the other hand, there is in the book much information concerning the growth of our merchant marine, so that the volume is of value as well as interest to those who care for matters connected with the conquest of the sea by peaceful means. It is thoroughly well written and tells of many things which have been generally forgotten, while there is also record of and comparison with latter-day methods. There are some inevitable statistics, and these may be of value to some prosaic people; but most readers will enjoy the memories of stately ships that are called up by the book and will welcome it for the sake of a story of a time that has passed away and is missed by those who knew it.

R. W. T.

TRAVELS.

China.

THROUGH HIDDEN SHENSI. By Francis H. Nichols. Charles Scribner's Sons, New York.

As we carelessly and somewhat perfunctorily ran our eye over the preface to "Through Hidden Shensi," by Francis H. Nichols, we came across a sentence which was possessed of powerful dynamic properties—for it made us think. It was the latter sentence of the following paragraph: "I appreciated the seeming absurdity of a modern's attempt to pass the torch of

A NEW PORTRAIT OF HENRY VAN DYKE.

an imported civilisation to a land where its own had always burned. I began to look upon Homeric literature as recent, and to regard as experimental a theory of government that began only with Magna Charta." For the sake of that latter sentence we forgave the involution of that which preceded it. For it gave us, did that sentence, a most profound realisation of the age of the country which Mr. Nichols has made the subject of his book, and it showed us the futility of attempting to impose our ideas—if not ideals—upon a land which was gray with years before our puny civilization was born.

This note in the preface is continued throughout the book. Mr. Nichols, in the course of a remarkable journey, saw many wonderful and suggestive sights, and these he records in a most interesting and suggestive manner. He not only saw, but he reflected upon what he saw; and this is somewhat unusual among travelers, especially those who record their impressions for our delectation. He looked upon his surroundings with an unjaundiced eye, he says that "my experience in traveling 1500 miles through the heart of the empire has convinced me that it the Chinaman were more often given the benefit of the doubt it would be better for the foreigner that deals with him." This is the usual attitude of the foreigner in relation to China; but it would seem to be a justifiable one. Here, too, in connection with the disgraceful opium trade, is the thought of Mr. Nichols:

"The fact that opium is now raised by the natives is sometimes advanced as an argument that China really desires the continuance of the traffic; but in point of fact it only goes to prove the reverse. The ancient edicts prohibiting its cultivation and sale have never been repealed, and to this day flagrant violations of them are occasionally punished in Peking and some of the larger cities; but, realizing, after a century of defeat, humiliation and loss of territory, that attempts to stay the British-protected scourge were fruitless, and knowing, too, that England's real motive was only pounds, shillings and pence, the Chinese government has decided that if money must be made by the perpetuation of a national crime, the gain shall belong to its own subjects, who are the sufferers. With a patience and dignity that are the heritage of four thousand years, China says to the greatest of Christian nations today: 'You are stronger than we. We cannot prevent the deadly scourge with which you waste us at noonday, which stupifies and degrades and withers, which transforms once happy villages into charnel-houses. We cannot stay your hand, but we can and will retain the profit of the transaction, and your greed will be in vain.'

"And yet Christians in England and America sometimes wonder why it takes so long a time for the light of the gospel to penetrate the 'heathen' darkness of China!"

Strong words, my masters! and well deserved. We could not better show by the longest criticism the spirit of Mr. Nichols' book, which deserves the widest reading. It is full of the most interesting details of Chinese life, character, and conditions, and is profusely and finely illustrated from photographs. It is one of the best volumes of travel that we have ever seen; that is our summary of criticism. E. E. C.

POETRY.

High Song.

POEMS. By Mary Olcott. John Lane, New York.

It is not with great enthusiasm of expectation that we open any book of verse by a writer who is unknown to us; and when the writer owns to a feminine name, the lack of expectation is increased in excellent ratio. However, it is a fortunate thing that there are exceptions to all rules, those of literature included; and we encountered one of these happy exceptions in the result of our incursion into the volume modestly—or is it so modest, after all?—entitled "Poems," and bearing the name of Mary Olcott on its title page. Perhaps, as we suggested, it may be presumption for Miss Olcott, or anyone else, to claim to have written poems; yet in the case before us the presumption is well-nigh justified. We do not find in Miss Olcott a great singer; but we do find a very good one, with sweet and clear voice and high range in mood and theme. She has done emphatically good work; we know of no American woman who has done better in the last decade. Miss Olcott has excellent aptness of putting high thoughts into musical and dignified language. She is excellent in description of nature-phases; but she is perhaps at her best in her love-themes. Here is a sonnet which is not unworthy of being attributed to Elizabeth Barrett Browning:

"Suppose you had not cared, or but suppose
Your eyes had merely glanced about and then
Struck me in idle passing, just as when
One walks along the street and hardly knows
If many pass, or none! Or, if you chose
To eye me half a course through, say amen,
And let your thought rove onward once again,
Thinking, 'Well, 'tis one more face comes and goes!'

"That had been natural. But I, who cared
With such a sudden caring, had one thought—
This: I should thank God through all years and years
For the mere seeing you. I had not dared
To hope I might bring smiles there all unsought
Upon your lips, or from your eyes draw tears."

This is very true of feeling and expression. There is yet better love-poetry in the book, but it does not lend itself to quotation. Especially we admire "The End of It;" it were to wrong it to quote a part and we cannot give the whole, but it is very real poetry of its kind, and of deep and pure thought and expression.

In the descriptive verse we select this stanza from the poem called "The Ribiscus Flower" as typical of Miss Olcott's work:

"When tropic morning sparkles up the world.
Thy petals are uncurled,
And all thy scarlet blossom swells and glows
Past fire tint of the rose;
Haunting the splendid day
And flaming deep
In a brave shine of sunlight every way,
Till star-eyed dusk when the furled petals sleep."

Lovers of artistic, pure, and high verse will appreciate the little volume under review. We shall be glad of more songs from the writer of these lyrics. She deserves praise and thanks.

P. F. B.

FICTION.

A Woman Journalist.

THE AUTOBIOGRAPHY OF A NEWSPAPER GIRL. By Elizabeth L. Banks. Dodd, Mead & Co., New York.

The congeniality of womanhood and a journalistic career is something which has excited a large amount of discussion at times and has never been settled—and never will be. Not only as an "exhibit" in the case, but for itself, we are glad to have such a book as that which lies before us. "The Autobiography of a Newspaper Girl," by Elizabeth L. Banks. Miss Banks is herself a "lady journalist," and so she speaks with authority in the matter. She does not argue—or at least she argues very seldom; she simply recounts. She tells the story of her newspaper career, and leaves the reader to draw therefrom his own conclusions and morals.

Miss Banks is well known in newspaper circles. She has had experience in London as well as New York and other American cities, and she has done all kinds of work on newspapers. In London she was a "space writer" and introduced American methods into the English horizon of conservatism. She went out to work as a housemaid—and wrote an article; she entered a laundry as a worker—and wrote an article; she even went to Kent to pick strawberries—and wrote an article, and she was going to join the Salvation Army for the purpose of obtaining a subject for an article, when she was dissuaded by an English editor of more decency than enterprise. First, last and always she was the "newspaper girl" and nothing else.

Miss Banks's account of her career is exceedingly entertaining. She has seen much and she has known many, and she gives bright narratives of her experiences. She has the fault of her normal methods; she writes after the manner of writers of fiction, reporting everyone verbatim, detailing every incident with minuteness, and so she gives the practiced reader an impression of unveracity which is probably undeserved in its totality, for Miss Banks undoubtedly has a substratum of fact for each of her revelations and narratives. This is assured by the singular frankness which she displays at times. Sometimes her point of view is a little peculiar, or would seem so to the average ethicist, as when she stamps as "the meanest man I ever met" a man, who, according to her own story, may have been a little severe in the lesson which he gave to her, but undoubtedly meant well and had no thought of "meanness" in his action. And there are one or two other instances where Miss Banks seems to us to confound business ethics with ordinary ethics. But this will be forgiven her, if noticed, by most of her readers.

There is in the book a constant pose of intimate revelation which is not warranted by that which is actually said. This is because of the manner of the work; autobiography written in the modern manner of fiction—appling is apt to give this impression along with that of essential untruth. When, for example, we read of that trip to Washington, when Miss Banks is instructed to obtain a certain "secret of state," we hold our breath in anticipation of what is coming. But it doesn't come; the "story" ends up in a rather flat manner, and all that we learn is one of Miss Banks's ideas of ethics.

The book is undoubtedly interesting. It is brightly written and its wealth of detail will tend to convince the unpracticed reader as it will disillusionise the practiced. It is far more entertaining than the average "realistic" novel of the day, and will doubtless be read with appreciation by many who care little for novels. Yet it seems to us impossible to distinguish the book from confessed fiction. B. E. E.

A Dutch Author.

THE DEEPS OF DELIVERANCE. By Frederick Van Eeden. G. P. Putnam's Sons, New York.

The name of Frederick Van Eeden is entirely unknown to American literati, unless they have made more extensive incursions into foreign letters than are usual. As a rule, we care very little for European writers of fiction, at least those, of the continent; but we must confess that we look upon our ignorance of Mynheer Van Eeden as a distinct loss. He comes before us with a novel called "The Deeps of Deliverance," translated—and very admirably translated, too—by Margaret Robinson. The novel is of a type for which, considered as a class, we have no admiration; but here, again, there are exceptions, and one of them is to be found in the work before us. Not that we think it a great novel, to be compared with the work of the masters of the past; but we do think it far above the average of the day, and as far superior to the turgid fiction of your Tolstois and your Turgueneffs as it is inferior to that of the Balzacs and Thackerays and Dickens, and of the other dead giants. It is by way of being a psychological novel, indeed, it is more distinctly of that class than the involution of phrase which we have used might seem to imply. But it is something better than the usual psychological novel; it is a study which includes more than the phenomena of the human soul. It is a study of cause and effect, reaching out beyond the material to find the solution of the questions it raises; it takes account of God as well as man.

It is to some extent a story of hedonism. It tells of the life-history of Hedwig Marga de Fontayne, a professed hedonist in a way, yet one who grasps at higher pleasures than the word which we have used generally implies. That of which she is in search—though not always consciously—is thus stated in the words of the writer: "A pleasure which could be examined without disappearing." It is a most difficult quest; many would have us think it an impossible one. But Hedwig does not find it so. She makes many and grave errors; she seemingly turns utterly aside from her goal; but she arrives at last, though by devious ways, indeed. In the deviousness of these ways lies a weakness of morality in the book. "The Deeps of Deliverance" is very plain-spoken at times, and in some of its analyses is unnecessarily open in its revelations and study; but there is no immorality in statement, even when there is less refinement than in the volume before us. In the treatment, however, of a question of relation between the sexes there may be immorality even when the end is moral, because a doctrine may be preached which cannot be rightly understood by the mass, and may be misinterpreted to their hurt; and this charge, we fear, can be brought against "The Deeps of Deliverance." To reach good through evil may be most possible, given certain conditions to modify the result; but such a doctrine is dangerous in the preaching, lest evil be sought as the legitimate path to good. Herein we find fault with the moral of the book.

Yet for those who can understand, who can see more than lies upon the surface, there is no peril in "The Deeps of Deliverance," but rather a strong and broad sermon, showing how the most wandering path may lead to God if only He be set as the goal from the beginning. There is much appeal of religion in the book, though it is not orthodox. There is deep tragedy in the story, though this is lightened at last. As usual in works of the class, there is but little interest awakened for the personages, who but play their parts as puppets to permit the author to develop his theories; but this fault will not be discerned by those who love the modern novel.

We highly commend the book, though it is not "meat for babes." Rightly read, in right spirit, it will suggest high thoughts. R. T. P.

Zola's Works.

THE WORKS OF EMILE ZOLA. ROUGON-MACQUART. LA TERRE. LA CURÉE. POT-BOUILLE. George Barrie & Son, Philadelphia.

The remainder of the set of "Rougon-Macquart" published by the Messrs. Barrie of Philadelphia, lies before us, the works comprising "La Terre," "Pot-Bouille," and "La Curée." We have already spoken at length of the mechanical merits of the edition, and need not repeat our encomiums, while we at the same time called attention to the fact that in the present edition, printed from the textual plates of the Lutetian Society of London, is the only unexpurgated translation of the work of the dead novelist. So that those who cannot read him in the original can find his work here unaltered.

Since the death of Zola the old battle concerning his immorality has raged with renewed fierceness. We have always held, and so expressed ourselves, that the indecency of Zola's language and pictures did not constitute immorality; yet we lately saw an argument on the other side of the question, and it shook us to some extent in our belief, even if it did not entirely convince us. At all events, everyone who knows anything whatever of literature knows what Zola is, and so there is no danger of ignorance being betrayed into a snare of uncongenial knowledge. In the three books that lie before us there is more indecency than was ever put by a writer into an equal number of novels—at least those intended for general circulation. We might, without much fear of contradiction, include other writers than novelists; for Rabelais, of Zola's countrymen, was not viler in language, and even Petronius Arbiter was hardly more obscene. Yet, to our mind, this is not of necessity immorality; but it is not our purpose here to discuss the question, and our readers can accept or shun as they think most fitting.

As for the cult of naturalness which Zola advocated in words, though never, in our judgment, in literary deeds, that is another matter. We are strongly impressed with the belief that Zola was a romancist of romancists in his literary creeds, if not in his methods. We do not in the least believe that he set down that which he heard or saw; we think that he went to his imagination for every one of his facts, even though he pretended to himself that he was the sternest of realists. However this may be, it is quite certain that during the latter part of his career Zola was little less than an avowed romancist; but when he wrote the books which lie before us he was struggling against his natural proclivities and believed himself to have accomplished the defeat. In the three books are presented views of three phases of French life—as imagined by Zola. In "La Curée" we have the "upper crust" of society, or at least that which calls itself so; in "Pot-Bouille" we have the bourgeois society; in "La Terre" we have the tiller of the soil, the peasant. Why these phases should be so presented that one is forced to the conclusion that, if Zola were a true painter, there is nothing in France but indecency and vice, we do not pretend to know; but the pictures have been by many accepted as essentially realistic. So we shall not dispute the matter.

At all events, those who admire Zola—those who wish to make his acquaintance—the latter being duly warned of his obscenities, some of which are put in such plain style in the present edition as to surprise even one who has read the original—can do no better than to obtain the set under review. In all ways it is the most veracious translation of Zola ever made, and it is sure to satisfy those who cannot study the French novelist at first hand, but who are desireus of knowing him as he really was. O. J. D.

Hopkinson Smith's Works.

THE NOVELS, STORIES AND SKETCHES OF F. HOPKINSON SMITH. Beacon Edition. Charles Scribner's Sons, New York.

The Beacon edition of the novels, stories and sketches of F. Hopkinson Smith has now been completed and the last volumes of the set, three in number, though but two in manner of division, lie before us. They include "The Other Fellow and Tile Club Stories" in one volume and "The Fortunes of Oliver Horn" in the remaining two. The first of these volumes, of course, contains short stories and sketches, "The Other Fellow" being merely a general and inclusive heading for certain stories, and "Tile Club Stories" serving the same titular purpose.

We hardly know how to speak of the works before us. They are a part of the edition which we have already praised so highly in the matter of mechanics, and they are entirely on an equality with their predecessors. The volume containing "The Other Fellow" is illustrated by Howard Chandler Christy, Edwin B. Child and E. A. Abbey, the frontispiece being in colors, while "The Fortunes of Oliver Horn" is illustrated from drawings by Walter Appleton Clark. We do not care for any of this work, except that of Mr. Abbey, and even that is not in the illustrator's best style. It seems to us a great pity that Mr. Smith did not himself furnish all the illustrations for his works; he could have done far better work than such a conventional worker as Christy, and he would have put more character into the drawings than is done by the other artists. However, doubtless the public, which admires the work of such men as Christy, will like the pictures as given.

But at least we have Mr. Smith in the text, and in that text we have the literary artist, of which reminiscence of the past so few now remain to us. Mr. Smith is one of the very best of American raconteurs, though his fame be not so great as that of some who have not a tithe of his ability. That his works should thus be collected in a handsome and generally-satisfactory edition speaks well for the literary appreciation of the publishers at least, and it is to be hoped with all earnestness that the literary public—if such a thing exists—will prove that the trust placed in its taste was not misplaced. If so handsome an edition of the works of so able a man does not meet with a warm and wide welcome, then is our literary taste, we of America, decadent indeed. If we laud Winston Churchill and neglect Hopkinson Smith, we shall write ourselves down—it were actionable to say what.

We do not think that the best work of Mr. Smith is included in the volumes which lie before us, but all is good and all is of a type. If no one but he could have written "Col. Carter of Cartersville," very few else could have written "The Fortunes of Oliver Horn"—none, indeed, when we remember the portrait of Richard Horn. As one of the very few artists of letters who remain with us to redeem the time, we must cherish Mr. Smith and love his works, or we proclaim our loss of all that makes for culture.

We have had greater novelists than Mr. Smith; but that is to be said of the past, and in the present we know of no American writer who is as worthy of general praise. Perhaps even now we have one or two writers of fiction who excel Mr. Smith at particular points; but we know of none who can claim triumph over him in the average of excellence. So we earnestly hope that the Beacon Edition of the works of F. Hopkinson Smith may find an eager market and that its admirable form may prove the least of its recommendations to our book-loving public. J. H. C.

Volunteer Firemen.

THE RED-SHIRTS. By Herbert E. Hamblen. Street & Smith, New York.

Herbert E. Hamblen has given us another book of adventure in a calling that is of the advance of civilization. The book is called "The Red Shirts," and it is a story of the old volunteer fire department. Mr. Hamblen once wrote an exceedingly interesting book called "The General Manager's Story," dealing with railway matters, and ever since that time we have been patiently waiting for him to give us a companion volume; but this, though he has written several books in the interim, he has entirely failed to do. The railway seems to be the only subject upon which Mr. Hamblen can write entertainingly; but in the present book he has undoubtedly done better work than in any other save the one mentioned. There is, as in "The General Manager's Story," the ring of truth about "The Red Shirts," as if Mr. Hamblen were describing scenes and incidents which had their counterparts and foundations in his own experience. As is probably the case.

Though the book is nominally a story—perhaps a novel—there is in it only the interest of scene and incident. We do not care in the least for the fortunes of the various personages—unless we make an exception in the case of Bruno, the fire dog—and our whole attention is concentrated upon the reproduction of the pictures of the past as found in the descriptions of the work and play of the old volunteer firemen. We read of them how they put out fires, how they fought over the merits of their engines, how they mixed politics with their calling as firemen, and generally how they comported themselves in all phases of the old fire life, even to the picnics and balls which made a part of its social order. We see, too, the coming of the steam and the consequent change in the department, and we can but sympathize with the men who fought with their muscles the advance of the steam, that was to do away with their efforts and leave them but as memories as defenders of the city against red demon.

There is comedy and there is tragedy in the story, and both are fairly well portrayed, though possibly most of the effect is owing to the inherent nature of the subject. We think that the suggested. Seizing upon the fact that individual is the product of heredity and environment, and joining to these the higher ethical principle that revenge is unworthy of civilization, at least worthy when as an organized force it uses its strength to inflict it upon the individual, the author of such tales of government, concludes that punishment belongs properly to the savage condition of society, and should be abolished by communities having a higher social organization. Advocates of theories of this sort are wont to notice that the modern conception of punishment is that of the protection of the peaceable and the protection of the peaceable against from the violent and dishonest; that this protection is equally necessary, whether the criminal be violent and dishonest through inheritance and environment, or through his own supreme free will, and that our modern laws are being altered to fit this conception as rapidly as possible. Far astray his own misunderstanding of theories of punishment lead the author, may be gathered from the following passages as the following (Pp. 7

"If the punishment of men 'tending to awe others into obedience of the law' then the old ideas of penal servitude are the only ones that can be logically maintained. A prison should be the most horrible, grewsome, painful thing that can be contrived. Physical torture should be a common incident of prison life. The victim himself should be used to aid the community by the frightful example—darkness, noxious smells, vermin, rations, hardest, most constant toil, long years of imprisonment, and the red mark of infamy should be branded on the brow when at last he turned loose to the light of day. Prisons should be open to the public, so that old and young can constantly witness the terrible effects of crime. Prisons and jails should be in the midst of the community and in the most conspicuous places. The young should never be left to casually hear of public punishments or to imagine a penal institution. The living horrible example should be ever kept before their eyes. . . .

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OTHER REVIEWS.

BY A TIMES REVIEWER.

FICTION.

An Excellent First Book.

UNDER THE SUN. A STORY OF PERU. By Charles N. Buck. Shewmake Co., Louisville, Ky. (For sale by C. C. Parker, 345 South Broadway.)

The new firm of Shewmake & Co. of Louisville publishes a first novel of unusual merit by Charles N. Buck, formerly United States Minister to Peru. Mr. Buck has woven his knowledge of the country to which he was accredited, and of its history into a romance of the last days of the Inca rule and the coming of the Spaniard. The heroine is the Princess Hutinima, daughter of the Inca Huayna Capac, and the Hillipo, at the opening of the story a court page. The boy is, in reality, himself an Inca, although his parentage is a secret with the woman who has brought him up as her own, and with his father, who is absent as the representative of the Inca in Calli. The boy is further raised to the rank of son of Huayna Capac, to save from humiliation a member of the ruling family, whom he has fought and conquered, in resenting an insult. By services to the Princess and her party he bring him later into still higher favor. He becomes intimate with one of the Spaniards, Ambassadors of Pizarro sent to explore the country, and with the Princess, interested in the accounts of the strangers give of lands beyond the seas, learns of this same man, Atahualpa, to read and speak the Spanish language. To escape marriage with one of the other of her half-brothers, a marriage sanctioned by Inca custom to preserve the race without intermixture of blood of a lower strain, the princess finally flees from the court and country, at the death of her father, with the foster-mother of Hillipo, and under the latter's care and guidance. On the seacoast they meet Francisco Pizarro, who has with him Antonio, who a time before returned to his country. Under the protection of the Spaniards they go to Panama, where Hutinima studies in a Spanish convent and adopts the Christian religion. Then to where Pizarro becomes a suitor for her hand. Later all go to Spain, and here, immediately after their arrival, to escape the importunities of the Spanish explorer, Hutinima is married to her Inca lover, whom she has learned to love.

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"The Alienist and Neurologist, headquarters at St. Louis, is one of the foremost of American technical periodicals. One of its special features is the translation of important articles by foreign specialists. At present a course of clinical lectures on psychiatry by Prof. Wernicke of Breslau is running in it, translated by Dr. W. Alfred McCorn. A large number of other articles from the German have appeared in its numbers.

PEOPLE AND THINGS LITERARY.

Press-clipping bureaus continue to solicit Louisa M. Alcott's patronage despite the fact that the author of "Little Women," etc., has been dead fourteen years.

Capt. A. T. Mahan, whose latest book, "Retrospect and Prospect"—touching on international questions—is having a large sale, has received the extraordinary honor for a non-British officer of a life membership in the Royal United Service Institution.

We have the word of Mayo W. Hazeltine of the New York Sun that Whittier and Longfellow are more read in England than are any other American poets, and that of the two Whittier is more distinctively American. He regards the Macmillan Company's choice of a biographer for Whittier as felicitous; there being, in his opinion, "no American better qualified for the task, on the score both of knowledge and of sympathy, than Thomas Wentworth Higginson.

Henry James's new novel, "The Ambassadors," begins serial publication in the January number of the North American Review, and has the honor of being the first work of fiction ever published in that or any other American review.

At the moment when the University of Cambridge is gratefully accepting Mr. Morley's gift of the late Lord Acton's library, there issues from the University Press the first volume of the great work to the planning of which Lord Acton gave so much of the time and thoughts of his last years, that of "The Cambridge Modern History," of which "The Renaissance"—the first volume of the work—has just been published in America by The Macmillan Company. The first feeling of all who take in hand this opening volume of what promises to be one of the most important books of our time will be one of deep regret that the scholar who designed it is not living to see any portion of the fruit of his labors. His Cambridge lectures were immensely stimulating, and more than one book, of which the first volume is enough to show how sound were his conceptions of history, and how competent he was to set readers and students in the right way—[London Times.

A new work of great value, published by the Macmillan company, is "Ancient Athens," by Ernest Arthur Gardner Yates, professor of archeology in University College, London, and formerly director of the British School at Athens. Prof. Gardner's "Handbook of Greek Sculpture" is known everywhere among students, and a new volume from his pen will be eagerly welcomed. The book deals particularly with the great monuments of Athenian architecture, and is elaborately illustrated.

Three important scientific books just published by the Macmillan company, are: "An Elementary Treatise on the Mechanics of Machinery," by Joseph N. Le Conte, instructor in mechanical engineering, University of California; "An Introduction to the Scientific Study of Minerals," by Henry A. Miers, D.Sc., M.A., F.R.S., vice-president of the Geological, Chemical and Mineralogical societies; Waynflete professor of mineralogy in the University of Oxford, and Fellow of Magdalen College; "Text-book of Paleontology," by Karl A. Von Zittel, professor of geology and paleontology in the University of Munich, translated and edited by Charles R. Eastman, Ph.D., in charge of vertebrate paleontology in the Museum of Comparative Zoölogy at Harvard College, Cambridge, Mass.

The Scribners announce the immediate publication of an edition de luxe of Henry Van Dyke's "The Blue Flower," limited to 500 copies. It is bound in olive green leather, stamped with gold, and contains these features: "A new photogravure portrait of Dr. Van Dyke; a photogravure of the author's home in Princeton; eight full-page drawings in color; a new preface written especially for this edition; an autograph signature by Dr. Van Dyke in each book; a facsimile autograph poem."

Mention was made recently of the fact that Mrs. Harriet T. Comstock had presented three new books this season, each through a different publisher. It may be of interest to note that a copy of one of these books, "A Little Dusky Hero," published by Crowell & Co., was sent to Randall's Island, to the New York House of Refuge, for use in their library. The institution houses some twelve hundred boys, and Mr. Sage, the superintendent, states that they are highly delighted with the story—so much so that the volume is spoken for several weeks ahead. The boy who happens to get it reads it to a group of other fellows. When the publishers were informed of this state of affairs, they sent half a dozen extra copies to the Island to relieve the reading market.

PERSONAL.

Walter R. Hadden and family of Sacramento are guests at the Angelus.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Foster of Winnipeg, Man., are guests at Hotel Vendome.

E. Cronch and wife of North Carolina registered for the winter yesterday at the Van Nuys Broadway.

T. Hope Lewis and family, tourists from Auckland, New Zealand, registered yesterday at the Angelus.

Deming Jarvis of Detroit, president of a fertilizer and glue manufacturing company, is at the Van Nuys.

Mrs. J. N. Russell returned to her home at the Van Nuys Broadway yesterday after an extended visit in the East.

E. D. Stair, a theatrical manager of Detroit, is at the Angelus with his wife, Mrs. M. K. Cookson and J. Stair.

Scott Calhoun, an attorney of Seattle, is at the Angelus with George B. Lamping of the Seattle National Bank.

William L. Oge, managing editor of Picturesque California, a San Francisco art publication, was in the city yesterday.

Members of the Berkeley Glee Club stopped at the Westminster yesterday on their return to school from a tour of Southern California.

George E. Ames, western representative of the Allis-Chalmers machinery trust, with headquarters at San Francisco, is at the Van Nuys for a few days.

Eli Fisher of Ohio is visiting his children in Los Angeles. The battle of Fisher's Hill, Va., was fought on the plantation owned by Mr. Fisher's grandfather.

The remains of C. A. McDonell, formerly of Catalina, were interred in Mexico, the laws of that country preventing their being taken out of Mexico for two years. Mr. McDonell's widow lives at the corner of Third and Fickett streets, this city. He was not connected with the Pan-American Railroad.

G. H. Elder was remanded at the Guild Hall Police Court, London, yesterday, charged, on his own confession, with having embezzled $75,000 from his employers, Brown, Shipley & Co., the American bankers. The embezzlements had been going on for years.

"SPOT'S" SOUL YANKED OUT.

Tingley Pulls a String and Makes Plain "Dawg."

Point Loma "Purple" Says She Never Did Say It.

Would Stuff Babies Instead of Starving Them—The Defense Rests Its Case.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The veil of mysticism was today lifted from Point Loma by the "Purple Mother," herself, and the public was given a glimpse of the inside workings of the Universal Brotherhood as "Mother" Tingley would like to have it seen. Only so much was revealed, of course, as suited the purple person's purpose, and according to her representations, none of the ludicrous things testified to by other witnesses, who have been on the inside, have really occurred, and they lied, one and all.

Mrs. Tingley went on the witness stand this afternoon in rebuttal and proved herself a past mistress in the art of equivocation and denial. She denied practically everything. She even went back on her faithful dog "Spot," the sagacious animal with a human soul. Spot's soul, or rather the soul of the late William Q. Judge, it now appears, had a string to it, and Mrs. Tingley pulled the string, yanking back the spirit of the lamented Judge, and depriving poor Spot of his hope of immortality.

Mrs. Tingley now admits that Spot is just plain "dawg." She says he is not a sacred animal, as has been popularly supposed. There is nothing to distinguish him from other members of the canine breed. He is an intelligent, lovable brute, who loves his mistress because she has been kind to him, she says, that's all. Other dogs have been known to do the same; even those that are mistreated are faithful to their masters or mistresses.

If Mrs. Tingley ever said that Spot inherited Judge's soul, she now denies. She says she never said it, although there is an accumulation of evidence that she did. At any rate the fame of the dog Spot has inspired the San Diego muse. Local poets have begun writing dog-gerel and inditing odes to the "purple purp." Here is one, anonymous, by the way, that reached the press table at the Tingley trial this afternoon. Its title very appropriately is:

"IT'S UP TO TINGLEY."

"When William Judge, theosophist,
Ceased as a mortal to exist,
'Tis said that his immortal soul,
Returned to play another role,
And, in the Tingley pup sedate,
Abideth now reincarnate.
To follow this hypothesis
Of future woe, or weal, or bliss,
Let us suppose this dog, named 'Spot,'
Like other curs this sphere should trot.
And chance, upon an evil day,
In German butcher-shop to stray.
Then quickly for the family trade
Into bologna-links be made;
Say, then could Madam Tingley state
Where Judge's soul would transmigrate?"

HOW TO FEED BABIES.

Mrs. Tingley made another startling declaration on the witness stand. It was to be expected that she would deny the allegation that she believed in starving infants in order to subdue their lower, or animal, nature and develop soul. She boldly declared her system to be just the reverse of that. She believes in forcing babies to eat at frequent intervals, she said. Her system is to feed new-born babies every half-hour, instead of every two hours and a half, as commonly practiced. Babies raised by her system, she averred, do not have their moral or physical natures perverted, but develop into healthy, soulful beings, instead of growing up to fill the jails and penitentiaries.

Mrs. Tingley made this wonderful discovery herself—this feeding of infants every half-hour by the clock—and hopes every physician with obstetric practice will adopt it. The scheme is not patented.

She did not state the character of the food that should be administered in half-hourly doses, whether it is mother's milk, the canned product of the domestic bovine, or stewed prune juice. She did not specify how long this system of eating forty-eight meals a day of twenty-four hours was to continue. Obviously, it would prove inconvenient and expensive to the kidlet to keep up this practice after arriving at an age when hustling for grub became a necessity.

The madam did not explain, either, how the babies were to get their natural quota of sleep if waked every thirty minutes for refreshments, but doubtless she will tell all about these things in her book. Oh, yes, Mrs. Tingley is going to write a book on the subject of baby farming. She said so herself on her solemn oath on the witness stand this afternoon. Parents contemplating the raising of soulful babies should make a note of this and await operations for Mrs. Tingley's forthcoming book (no charge for the advertisement.)

A GOOD DODGER.

There was the usual matinee audience at the trial of the Tingley suit against The Times this afternoon, and the attempt of the madam to smooth things over and make it appear that hers is an ideal institution, where all is peace and love, was listened to with a great deal of interest, mingled with smiles of incredulity. The number of things she had never seen nor heard of, but already testified to as having occurred where she is supreme ruler, were astounding. Every charge which she did not deny absolutely, she brushed aside with a weary "I never observed it."

The defense practically closed its case at the morning session. The attempt to introduce any further testimony concerning the sad fate of Mrs. Vesper Freeman was abandoned, in view of the adverse rulings of the court last Wednesday. Miss Willis, sister of Mrs. Freeman, was not recalled to the witness stand.

Mr. Neresheimer, the rich retired diamond broker of New York, who has cast his lot with Mrs. Tingley and is a leading member of her cabinet, was recalled for the defense, but the attempt to wring important information from him was prevented by the ruling of the court.

MISSING WITNESS.

A subpoena, issued for Mrs. Neresheimer, early in the day, was placed in the hands of an officer, but she could not be found, in spite of the fact that her husband testified that she was spending the day at Hotel del Coronado, and notwithstanding that Lawyer McKinley said he saw her there during the forenoon. With this understanding that Mrs. Neresheimer would be called to testify when found, the defense rested at the opening of the afternoon session.

Plaintiff's counsel then tried to get the court to consent to the adjournment of the case to Point Loma, in order to give the court and jury an opportunity to view the alleged "place of horror," but Judge Torrance showed that he could on occasion make a ruling in favor of the defense, for he firmly sustained defendant's objection. The court held that it was entirely unnecessary to go on such a junket, and that there would be no propriety in such proceedings.

Plaintiff's counsel also tried to stuff the record with a mass of Mrs. Tingley's purple literature, but the court ruled all of it out.

Mrs. Tingley was then called in her own behalf for rebuttal, and was the only witness of the afternoon. She had not concluded when court adjourned for the day.

"PLACE OF HORROR" PROTECTED

When the trial was resumed at 10 o'clock this morning, Mr. Daney of counsel for the defense announced that in view of the court's ruling last Wednesday, the direct examination of Miss Irene Willis, who was on the witness stand for the defense when court adjourned, would be abandoned. It had been sought to prove by Miss Willis that her deceased sister, Mrs. Freeman, was literally starved at Point Loma, and that it was proper to designate the institution on this account, as a "place of horror."

Plaintiff waived cross-examination, so Miss Willis was excused.

OFF COLOR.

The deposition of Edward W. Parker of Little Rock, Ark., was offered to prove Mrs. Tingley's reputation prior to and at the time of becoming head of the Universal Brotherhood. Parker is a Theosophist, but one who has refused to wear the yoke of Mrs. Tingley because he regards her as a fraud and impostor. In order to satisfy himself fully as to her character and pedigree, he visited her native town, Newburyport, Mass., in August, 1899. There he made inquiries and talked with about twenty people who professed to have known her since childhood. They told him of escapades of hers and of the mode of life she led from the time she was twelve years old until she was a matron of mature years. According to Parker's deposition the disclosures made to him indicate that Tingley's reputation at Newburyport would not look good in a bright light, hence the fierce objections against the deposition from the "purple mother's" counsel.

ANOTHER LOST MYSTERY.

But Parker's testimony about the result of his investigation was not permitted to go before the jury. Objection was made by plaintiff's counsel to the question "Do you know what her reputation was there?" (at Newburyport,) and to all the succeeding questions and answers of the direct examination, on the ground that the testimony was irrelevant, incompetent and immaterial. The court sustained the objection and the Parker deposition was relegated to the "lost mysteries" of Point Loma, along with much of the preceding evidence tending to prove the character and reputation of Katherine A. Tingley, that has been offered by the defense in this case.

Plaintiff waived cross-examination of Parker in view of the suppression of his direct testimony, but Mr. Hunsaker, for the defense, offered pages 93 to 100 of the deposition as competent cross-examination. It was objected to and ruled out as a whole, by the court, at once fell swoop.

Mr. Hunsaker insisted upon taking up the questions and answers seriatim before being slaughtered by the court. After some little parleying, the court consented to having the questions read. The first question was:

"Mr. Parker, you are a Theosophist, are you not?"

This and a number of others following were again objected to by plaintiff, but the court very generously ruled:

COURT'S GENEROSITY.

"I am inclined to believe that if there's anything material in the deposition either side has a right to have it introduced, but there is a question in my mind whether it is material at all or not. The objection is overruled."

The witness was then allowed to depose that there are two branches of the Theosophical Society in this country. The original society was founded by Mme. Blavatsky and Col. Olcott. The Universal Brotherhood was a mere offshoot from the parent stem, although the secessionists claimed to be the whole and real thing. There was only one real Theosophical Society in the United States, in deponent's opinion; that was known as the American Branch of the Theosophical Society. Mrs. Tingley and those associated with her are not members of that society. There was quite a bitter enmity between the two branches. Annie Besant was not the real head of the Theosophical Society in this country. Alexander Fullerton of New York is the general secretary of the American branch, and Col. Olcott has been president of the general society.

Objection was made by plaintiff to further cross-examination, and the court ruled the rest of the deposition out, justifying the action by saying:

"This evidence is ruled out on the ground that witness has not proven himself competent."

NERESHEIMER RECALLED.

Mr. Neresheimer was recalled as a witness for the defense. He was questioned by Mr. Shortridge and was again very exact and hair-splitting in his replies. He refused to answer any question before the wording of it was technically correct. Neresheimer is a man of considerable astuteness, and the exchange of repartee between him and Mr. Shortridge was quite keen and clear-cut.

Witness testified, in brief, that he had been at Point Loma continuously since February 26, 1901, with the exception of a visit of six weeks to his former home in New York. He had known Katherine A. Tingley since 1894, and had been a member of the Universal Brotherhood since its organization. He had continuously been an officer of it, and taken an active part in its affairs since taking up his residence at Point Loma. His wife resides at Point Loma, he said, but is not a member of the Universal Brotherhood; she has been a member of the Aryan Theosophical Society, however, for the last twelve years. His son, aged 24, lives in New York, and his daughter, aged 20, is in Europe; both are married. These family affairs and other things of no great import witness was allowed to discuss, but every question asked concerning the management of affairs at Point Loma was ruled out on objections by plaintiff.

By whom are the various concerns at Point Loma conducted? Who has control over the financial affairs of the various institutions?" These and all similar questions were barred.

Witness was asked if he attended meetings at the Isis Theater in October, 1901, just prior to the publication of the alleged libelous article in The Times. He was asked if he did not recall that Mrs. Tingley was engaged in heated controversies with ministers and others, at that time, who criticised her management of affairs at Point Loma. These questions were objected to and a long discussion between counsel and the court ensued, the court finally sustaining the objection, after again indulging in remarks that were excepted to by defendant's counsel, as prejudicial to defendant's cause.

Neresheimer was on the stand till the noon hour, but nothing of importance was elicited from him.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At the opening of the afternoon session, Mr. Hunsaker, for the defense, called for Mrs. Neresheimer, but she did not appear. For once, also, her husband, who has been a constant attendant since the opening of the trial, was absent. Counsel for plaintiff offered to produce the missing witness in course of time, and with this understanding, the defense rested for the time being.

NO JUNKETING.

Attorney McKinley then moved that the court and jury proceed to Point Loma to view the premises where the Tingley spooks are alleged to hold their revels. Mr. Hunsaker objected. Mr. Shortridge pointed out the difficulties and impropriety of such a junket, and asked "What light could that give us?"

"None whatever," replied the court. "I see no necessity for such proceedings."

Mr. Kellogg, for plaintiff, made a pathetic plea for taking the jurors across the bay, to be Mrs. Tingley's guests. No doubt preparations had been made for royal entertainment, but the court was obdurate and sustained the objection.

Attorney Kellogg had another uncomfortable half-hour with the court. He wanted to have part of Dr. Jerome A. Anderson's deposition, marked as exhibit "C," introduced in rebuttal, but the court would not have it.

TINGLEY RECALLED.

Mrs. Tingley was called to rebut evidence that had been introduced against her. The Fitch deposition was taken up, and she was put to the task of shattering it. She denied that she had personally employed Louis S. Fitch as book-keeper at Point Loma, and that she frequently called him away from his books to do photographic work and operate telephones. She denied confidential relations between herself and Fitch.

A copy of the pledge which Fitch had taken when he joined the esoteric school was identified by witness and read to the jury. Among other things it pledged him to support and obey the "outer head" (Mrs. Tingley) without cavil. It also required him to make Theosophy a living power in his life, and to defend his female members in the cult. It admitted him to a constant struggle against his lower nature and other things.

STUFFINGS NOT ALLOWED.

A pamphlet containing the constitution and bylaws of the Universal Brotherhood was identified by witness and offered in evidence to amplify the records.

The court: I don't think this case should be amplified more than is necessary. The principles of this institution, and its general charactes are not on trial in this case. I don't care what it is so far as I am concerned, and the jurors have no interest. I don't care what its professions are. Let the defendant show what literature has been sent out. Plaintiff needn't produce any more evidence of this kind. The objection is sustained."

A pamphlet showing the permanent institutions connected with the Universal Brotherhood was then offered in evidence, each department of the work being offered and objected to separately. All objections were sustained.

MORE DENIALS.

Questioning of Mrs. Tingley by Mr. Kellogg on the Fitch deposition was then resumed. She denied that she ever gave orders for women to work in the fields; she had seen them working in flower gardens, but never in the fields. She never gave orders for the members not to communicate with one another.

ALAS FOR "SPOT!"

There was a pricking up of ears when the name of the popular dog Spot was mentioned. But, alas, how that poor creature's reputation was punctured. Mrs. Tingley said she had never considered Spot as very different from other dogs. She was very fond of him, of course, and the affection was reciprocated on account of kind treatment. She never saw any evidence of reverence for Spot on the part of members of the institution, though they all liked him and treated him kindly, as Theosophists do all animals. She never told anybody that Mr. Judge's soul had found an abiding place in Spot. Judge had never owned the dog. He was her property before Judge died, and she had had him for seven or eight years. Spot had never exercised his intelligence by sorting out her mail and handing her a letter which cured her of a bad attack of the blues. She had never told such a one that he did such cunning tricks.

FAMILY TIES.

She said she never interfered with family relations. She did not order the Hansen children sent from the homestead to the colony. Mr. Hansen had importuned her to start the Raja Yoga school, which had been her own conception from the start, and she decided to start it at the colony. Mr. Hansen immediately sent his children there, but the school at the colony was only temporary. Incidentally, she stated that Mr. and Mrs. Hansen are now at Santigo de Cuba, establishing more Raja Yoga schools.

Mrs. Tingley said she made no restrictions about leaving the grounds at Point Loma, expect for children, who were not allowed to go out alone.

SILENT PRAYER.

She knew little about the sunrise meetings, as she never attended them. No one was compelled to attend them. Members attended from choice, and it was generally agreed among them that they would rise at a certain time so as to be prepared to meet all their duties. Sometimes they would sing songs at these matutinal greetings and read from their little book of morning service. It was quite a habit of Theosophists to sit in silent mediation instead of praying aloud. The so-called "thought waves" were, in effect, silent prayer. She had no recollection of sending "thought waves" around the world. If any were sent they were kind thoughts.

SARTORIAL DISSERTATION.

The question of clothes was discussed at some length by Mrs. Tingley. She said Greek costumes were sometimes worn at Point Loma, but she had no recollection that they were worn about the grounds generally. They were made as closely to the ancient Greek costumes as possible, on account of the latter being classical, comfortable and economic. Some of them were made of thick woolen, some of canton flannel, very heavy, some of nuns-veiling, not so heavy, but never of cheesecloth, that was vulgar. She had never seen any made of that cheap material.

The costumes were worn over the usual under garments. The ladies' costumes were not cut low in the neck, the sleeves were very long and the skirts touched the ground.

The men's costumes were never made of cheesecloth, they extended to the ground, were high in the neck, and had sleeves coming below the elbows. They were very comfortable and did not suggest any indelicacy; absolutely the opposite.

The "craftsmen" wore costumes of thick brown material, because they had to dig in the dirt when officiating at corner-stone layings. The skirts came below the calf of the leg. The bodice was cut high, but the sleeves were abbreviated. The "craftsmen" were the pioneer workmen, who were honored by being organized under a name suggestive of the services they performed for the brotherhood.

NOT SACRED NOR PURPLE.

Mrs. Tingley was certain she never had attended any ceremony where the exercises consisted principally of the laudation of her sacred person. She never made any claim to such distinction.

She denied that she arrayed herself in purple robes, but admitted that she had several negligee garments which might have that tinge; she did not call it purple herself. There was no special design to her garments; there was nothing mystic about them. She wore a Greek costume sometimes at her public lectures.

VIEWS ON MARRIAGE.

In regard to Fitch and his wife, Mrs. Tingley denied that she tried to separate them. She said Fitch wanted her to give his wife employment, so as to increase the family revenues, but she could not do that, as the brotherhood does not pay out money for labor. All work is done by volunteers. She chided Fitch for wanting his wife to work; he was an able-bodied man and should have been able to support his family. She never called Fitch a hen-pecked husband, and never invited him to accompany her around the world as her official stenographer. She denied that she told Fitch that if people would live as they were required to live at Point Loma, they would evolve so that marriage was not necessary. She regarded marriage as the most sacred of relations, and rebuked Fitch for having entered into it so carelessly—he seemed to feel none of the responsibilities of a husband.

MYTHICAL HINDOO.

Mrs. Tingley gave Fitch the credit of being the prince of prevaricators. She said that story of his about having been carried in a palanquin by two men, for five days into a mysterious country, where she met a renowned Hindoo spook, who has been writing checks for her whenever her organization was hard up, is all bosh.

In fact, about everything Fitch said in his deposition was false, according to Mrs. Tingley. She even said it was not true that the door to her bed chamber was open all night for the entrance of her cabinet, individually or conjectively, as they saw fit.

The cabinet had the "open sesame" to her outer chamber at all hours, but her private boudoir was sacred. The only time any members of the cabinet entered was when it was feared she was dying of pneumonia. The little Cuban maid, Carmen, or Mme. Peterson, always slept in her room.

Mrs. Tingley denied as hard as ever she could practically all the statements in the deposition of Dr. Jerome Anderson, as well as those in the deposition of Fitch. It was in refutation of Dr. Anderson's testimony that she gave her view on the dieting of babies on the thirty-minute plan.

After disposing of Anderson's charges she denied Tillie Kratzer's tale of woe about the hardships she suffered by being made a household drudge instead of receiving the education she was promised.

Mrs. Tingley was still on the witness stand denying things when court adjourned.

AWFUL TIMES IN CHINA.

Dr. Guinness Declares Nothing Short of the Assistance of Foreign Governments Can Prevent an Uprising fo Boxers.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TACOMA, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Dr. G. H. Guiness, hospital chief of the China Inland Mission, Hunan province, arrived today en route to Philadelphia, where he will visit friends before returning to London for a vacation. He declares that unless all signs fail, China is on the eve of another murderous uprising. Unless the present spirit of Boxer bands and secret societies in the interior provinces is speedily changed, riot, arson, murder and barbarous cruelty will soon startle the world more completely than three years ago.

Dr. Guiness believes that nothing short of the assistance of foreign governments speedily given can prevent another Boxer uprising. He says: "If it does come, the atrocities of 1900 will be nothing as compared with what they will be, for the feeling then against the foreign devils has been intensified many fold. The Boxers are gathering strength and arms, and working quietly. When the time comes to strike, which we interior missionaries believe will be within a year, there will be awful scenes, if any one is left alive to describe them. The present troubles are not sanctioned by those in charge of the general movement. They do not want any disturbances until they are fully prepared. The first word the world will then have will be an awful slaughter of Christians."

MOXLEY'S DIVORCE. J. T. Moxley got a divorce yesterday from Rose W. Moxley in Judge Allen's court. Mrs. Moxley is several years older than Moxley, and called him a fool. Moxley's feelings were very much hurt by this and divers other practiced "cruelties."

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SANTA ANA.

MONSTER SWEET POTATO.

SANTA ANA, Jan. 2.—B. F. Townsend plowed up a sixteen-and-one-half-pound sweet potato in a vacant field west of the city yesterday while preparing the ground for grain. The monster measured thirty-four inches in circumference and is evidently of volunteer growth, as nothing has been planted there for a number of seasons. The big tuber will be forwarded to the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce for the Orange county exhibit.

FATHER SHOCKED.

Lauren Hanna, who has been arrested in Los Angeles for the killing of John F. Jones by criminal carelessness in the discharge of firearms on New Year's morning, is well known in this city, having lived here several years. His father, Frank Hanna, lives here and knew nothing of his son's trouble until this morning. The news was a severe shock.

CHURCH MEETING.

The annual meeting of the First Baptist Church was held last night, with 200 members present. A supper was served at 6 o'clock, after which the roll of members was called, responses being made with brief talks or with verses of scripture. Rev. J. H. Garnett, pastor, called upon Dr. Hobart of Pasadena for a brief address, after which business was transacted. The pastor was unanimously indorsed by the church for another year's work, and the following officers elected: Trustees, P. Hill, J. T. Wool, Dr. E. M. Freeman, Mrs. J. G. Bailey, Mrs. G. W. Minter; deacons, George W. Hubbard, Z. B. West, P. Hill; clerk, Carey R. Smith; collector, Lou P. Hickox; treasurer, W. E. Winslow; Sunday-school superintendent, Dr. E. M. Freeman. A social evening followed the business meeting.

RAPHAELS TO PLAY.

The Raphaels of Los Angeles will be here Sunday to meet Orange county in a match game of baseball, the Raphaels coming here as a return for yesterday's game in Los Angeles.

The teams will line up as follows:

Santa Ana.		Raphaels.
Curtis	center field	Householder
Cravath	catcher	Spies
F. Mallett	pitcher	Jones
Frank Mallett	first base	Hanlon
Dungan	second base	Warner
P. Mallett	third base	Courtney
B. Mallett	right field	Lepper
C. Mallett	shortstop	Francks
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POSTAL RECEIPTS.

The receipts at the Santa Ana postoffice for December were by far the largest for any individual month in history, footing up a total of $1662.61, of which $1647.35 was stamp sales. The total receipts for the last quarter of 1902 were $3839.10, as against $3179.10 for a corresponding period in 1901, and $3111.16 in 1900. The total stamp sales for the quarter were $3677.72, as compared with $3047.20 in 1901. An increase of 25 per cent. in the amount of registered packages sent out was made over the previous year.

FOOTBALL RECEIPTS.

The big library benefit football game at Athletic Park yesterday between the Indians and the picked local team netted the library fund about $200. The library trustees feel a pardonable degree of satisfaction in the successful conduct of the game and the pleasure afforded the crowds in attendance. The players from the outside all returned to their homes today, having stayed here over night as the guests of local friends.

LITTLE NOTES.

Evangelistic services will be held during this month at the Free Methodist Church by Misses Ada Pierce and Effie Reed of Chicago.

Light frosts have prevailed here during the past few days.

J. L. Parsons is visiting in San Diego.

Rudolphus O'Neal and Miss Pauline Tripp of Los Angeles were married today at the home of Rev. McLain W. Davis.

Mrs. Mary J. Galloway of Xenia, O., is here to spend the winter with her son, L. A. Galloway.

ANAHEIM.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

ANAHEIM, Jan. 2.—Tim Carroll has returned from Colorado and other States after an absence of six months, installing his patent beet dumps for unloading freight on a number of railroads.

News has reached here from Los Angeles of the death of the mother of A. H. Cargill.

W. J. Burns and family of South Dakota have been here the past week, guests of George Trefen.

Justice Shanley, who will retire from office Monday, contemplates a trip East soon.

Miss Poldie Heimann is in Yuma, visiting the Misses Cargill.

Clement Sheffeld is here spending a week after an absence of thirteen years in Minnesota.

Dr. Eddy and family moved to Los Angeles today, where Dr. Eddy will be associated with Dr. Stewart.

William Schwenckert and family, who have resided in Los Angeles a year, moved back to Anaheim today.

RIVERSIDE COUNTY.

NEW HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

RIVERSIDE, Jan. 2.—An historical society is about to be organized in Riverside, the chief objects of which will be to discover, procure and preserve whatever may relate to the natural, civil, literary and ecclesiastical history of the city.

Capt. M. J. Daniels, Congressman-elect from this district, has received notice that he has been appointed aide de camp on the staff of Thomas J. Stewart, Commander in Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic.

Plans are being made, with good chances of success, for a series of baseball games, to be played during the winter at Chemawa Park.

Riverside defeated San Bernardino in a game of baseball played at the old athletic park, yesterday afternoon, by the score of 20 to 12.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Hewitt entertained a large company of friends at cards last night at their home on Palm avenue.

Clarence J. Beaupre, aged 24, of Ontario, Can., died here yesterday. He came here recently in the hope of benefiting his health, and was engaged in the study of law.

SAN BERNARDINO.

ATTEMPT TO BURN STORE.

SAN BERNARDINO, Jan. 2.—When A. W. Barnum opened his book and stationery store, Third street, yesterday morning, he discovered a wad of partially burned paper under the threshold. The woodwork on the door had been scorched, but the fire died out before the flames got started. It is believed to have been the work of an incendiary, and the officers are convinced that another firebug is operating here. Only a few evenings ago a bold attempt was made to burn the Damron block on Third street.

The two local evening papers, the Times-Index (Rep.) and the Transcript (Dem.,) have been consolidated, the Times-Index being sold to the company which owns and publishes The Transcript. The paper will hereafter be issued as an evening Democratic daily, under the management of the Messrs. Holbrook. The San Bernardino journalistic field has long been overcrowded, and the change will work for the better.

SAN BERNARDINO BREVITIES.

The San Bernardino baseball club was defeated yesterday afternoon at Riverside by the score of 20 to 12. A game with a club recently organized at Redlands will probably be played in this city on Saturday of next week.

The funeral of Capt. E. A. Smith, which was held yesterday under the auspices of Phoenix and San Bernardino lodges, F. and A.M., was one of the largest Masonic turnouts that has ever taken place in the city.

The young women of the Lambda Theta Phi Sorority gave a dance last evening at the Stewart Hotel parlors that was largely attended. The chaperons were Mrs. W. H. Stiles and Mrs. A. W. Holdskom.

Several fakers have been operating with success in certain sections of the city selling bogus opal rings at $2 each, that are worth possibly two-bits a dozen. A hard-luck story usually accompanies the sale.

The contract will be let within a few days for the construction of the Santa Fé's new storehouse in the yards here. The building will be located directly north of the present storehouse. Its dimensions will be 200x70 feet, and it will cost approximately $14,000.

Randolph Hendricks and Miss Rita Campbell, of Riverside, were married here yesterday morning by Rev. M. Shaw, and left in the afternoon for Los Angeles.

SANTA PAULA.

SANTA PAULA, Jan. 2.—Owing to the prevalence of illness, the grammar schools will not reopen after the holiday vacation until the 19th inst.

Rev. Mr. McDuff, late of Punjab, India, will take charge of the Episcopal Church of this place to succeed the late Rev. Mr. Marriott.

W. J. Sherriff, formerly of this place, now engaged in the real estate business in Los Angeles, spent Sunday in town.

There will be a demonstration of the properties of liquid air given at Balcom Hall the evening of the 7th inst., under the auspices of the High School.

HUENEME.

NEW YEAR'S BALL.

HUENEME, Jan. 2.—The United Workmen gave their annual masquerade ball on New Year's eve. The hall was tastily decorated in green, and the dining tables arranged on the platform were prettily draped in smilax. About one hundred and fifty gaily-attired persons participated. The following-named were awarded first, second and third prizes, respectively: Ralph Arnold and Ada Shirley, Lulu McHenry and L. Cribbs, Mary Chambers and S. Saviers.

OTHER ITEMS.

A watch night service was held in the Methodist Church Wednesday evening, in charge of the Epworth League. The early part of the evening was given over to a belated Christmas entertainment for the children of the Sunday-school. Bags of candy and nuts were distributed.

Mrs. Farren and daughter of Fullerton have been spending the week with Mrs. James Mack.

Mrs. Emma C. Wisler, who has been spending the week visiting friends in Hueneme, returned Friday to her home in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Bush went to Pasadena to attend the rose tournament.

Mrs. D. R. McClure left Wednesday for her home in Los Angeles, after a week's visit with friends.

The Mandoli and Gleen Club of the Throop Polytechnic School will give an entertainment in the United Workmen Hall Saturday evening.

Mrs. Ludekins and two children, who have been spending the past month in Los Angeles, will return to Hueneme Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Miss, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, is making an extended trip into Canada. His pulpit will be supplied in the morning, but no night services will be held.

KERN COUNTY.

COMPANY TO GROW ORANGES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BAKERSFIELD, Jan. 2.—As a result of the showing made by Kern county in citrus fruits at the recent exposition in San Francisco, a company has been formed of local and Los Angeles capitalists to establish an orchard on the bluffs above Kern City, about a mile from the Southern Pacific depot. Forty acres has been set aside, of which ten acres will be immediately planted in orange trees. The soil is similar to that around Los Angeles and Riverside, and experience has shown that oranges in this section ripen several weeks earlier. P. M. Green, a Pasadena banker, is at the head of the enterprise.

BRAKEMAN'S FALL.

Brakeman Taton of the Southern Pacific fell from the cupola of his caboose last night at Goshen, and was severely injured by striking a chair. He was sent to the company's hospital at San Francisco.

The Pressed Steel Car Company proposes to carry for each of its employés who has been six months or more in its service from one to twenty-five shares of the preferred stock, now paying 7 per cent. dividend. The men will pay 5 per cent. down and the same amount in monthly installments thereafter.

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ciation will be held in Simpson Auditorium at 9 o'clock this morning. There will be music by the Laurel Quintette and Miss Holladay, and addresses by H. M. Bland and Mrs. W. W. Murphy.

After the new officers have been installed, final adjournment will be taken.

SECTION MEETINGS.

A number of the sections met in the High School and other buildings and held meetings that were interesting and well attended, as a rule.

Perhaps there was more real vim on tap in the session of the Legislation Section than any other, owing to the general disposition to "roast" the State series of text-books. S. D. Waterman said:

"Undoubtedly the very best thing that could be done would be to repeal every section of the law that permits the publication of text-books by the State."

He advocated the passage of a law that will permit the State board to purchase the best books wherever found, or if not this, then authorize them to purchase the copyright of such books as they may see fit, and have them published from the State Printing Office.

The new Committee on Legislation was named before the evening session, by President Shumate. It consists of R. B. Franklen, Thomas J. Kirk, C. A. Baer, C. L. Birdenbak, Frederick Burke, George L. Sackett, D. L. Sneddon, T. C. Moore and T. M. Fisher.

The meeting of the grammar school section in the Normal auditorium was not largely attended, but those who were there seemed to be full of the work in hand. Interesting papers were read by F. A. Wagner of Pomona; L. B. Avery, of Redlands; Miss Christine Hart of San Francisco, Mrs. Jessica Hazzard of the Los Angeles Normal; C. E. Keyes of Oakland, and Miss Julia C. Coffee of San Francisco.

The music section met at Cumnock Hall, and crowded the auditorium to its utmost capacity. The opening number was by twenty violins in the hands of pupils of Edwin Clark, with their master in the solo part. A paper on voice culture was read by Miss Estelle Carpenter; "Beginnings of Music," by Miss Ida Fisher; "Rhythm," by Mrs. L. V. Sweesy. There were songs by Miss Beresford Joy, and by the fifth and sixth grades of the city schools. A violin solo by Hazel Dessery, a young girl of about 13 years, was very fine.

HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATION.

Technical discussions of High School questions closed the sessions of the High School Association yesterday morning. Important changes in the prescribed requirements for admission to the universities were suggested by Prof. Housh of the Los Angeles High School. The gist of his paper asked that the individual pupil be permitted to choose his own requirements for admission. Papers by D. S. Snedden, Edward Hohfield, Mrs. Ella E. Young, E. C. Moore, Valentine Buehner, Frank Morton, Gertrude Henderson, A. W. Scott and S. E. Coleman were also presented.

The work of the association has progressed satisfactorily. Outside conferences among the principals and teachers thus brought together have led to an understanding of mutual needs, though no actual reforms have been agreed upon. The discussions have been rather the presentation of individual opinions so as to give a more general knowledge.

The manual training and child-study sections also held morning sessions in the High school building, and closed up their work.

CONCERNING PRIMARIES.

Blanchard Hall was well filled at the session of the primary section, in the morning, and the discussions elicited considerable interest. There were papers by E. M. Hopkins, Mrs. Francis Holden, Miss Edith M. Joy, A. H. Suzzalo, Helen Ballard and Dr. W. S. Small.

The last named was something out of the general order, and dealt with the question of the health of school teachers. The doctor's subject was entitled: "How does the health of teachers compare with the health of other people?" He answered the question by saying, in part:

"There is no disputing the fact that our body of elementary teachers far surpasses in vigorous health any of those engaged in other occupations, open alike to men and women.

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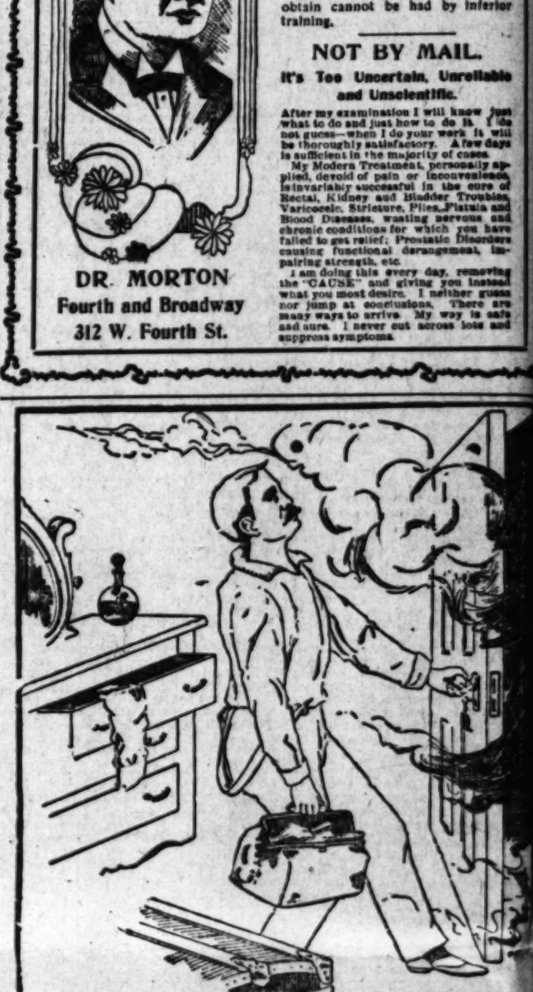

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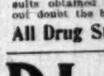

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It is a part of Sunset boulevard. The constructing corporation is incurring an expense of no less than $25,000 in building about one and a quarter miles of a boulevard, which, when completed in its entirety, will give the city a splendid driveway of about eight miles—from the Plaza out through the gentle hills and slopes to Hollywood and Laurel Cañon.

This boulevard will be 100 feet wide to the city limits; thenceforth seventy-two feet.

The particular part on which the company is engaged just now extends from Burbank Junction to the city limits, and from there on to the corner of Vermont and Prospect avenues. From the Junction to the city limits is about 3200 feet; from the limits to Prospect avenue is about 2100 feet. The route runs through hills and over dales—and is exceedingly picturesque.

The section of the boulevard between Burbank Junction and the city limits is the most difficult of construction. Midway between the two points is a deep ravine, which is being entirely filled in with dirt scraped off adjoining hills and streets. Measured from the grade established for the boulevard, the ravine is about thirty-five feet deep.

Here is what is called "the fill."

It is estimated that about 60,000 cubic yards of dirt will have to be dumped into this ravine to make a roadway 100 feet wide over the gully. The roadway over "the fill" as such will be about 500 feet long. To accommodate the rushing streams of winter a causeway of cement and concrete will be located under the boulevard.

Two grading gangs are now at work—one on either side of "the fill," each dumping the dirt toward the other and gradually moving the mammoth mounds of dirt closer and closer together, until, within about thirty days the gaping gully will be leveled. To fill in for a road 100 feet wide, it is necessary that the base of the dirt thrown in be almost 200 feet wide.

The work on the east side of "the fill" is being done by the railway company with a twenty-five-team gang, under J. T. Martin, foreman; on the west side is the Bright-Crandall Company, with about fifty teams and a big trapping gang. On the east side the soil is a light 'dobe over heavy shale banks, while on the other side the soil is a deep yellow, being sort of a gravel-cement.

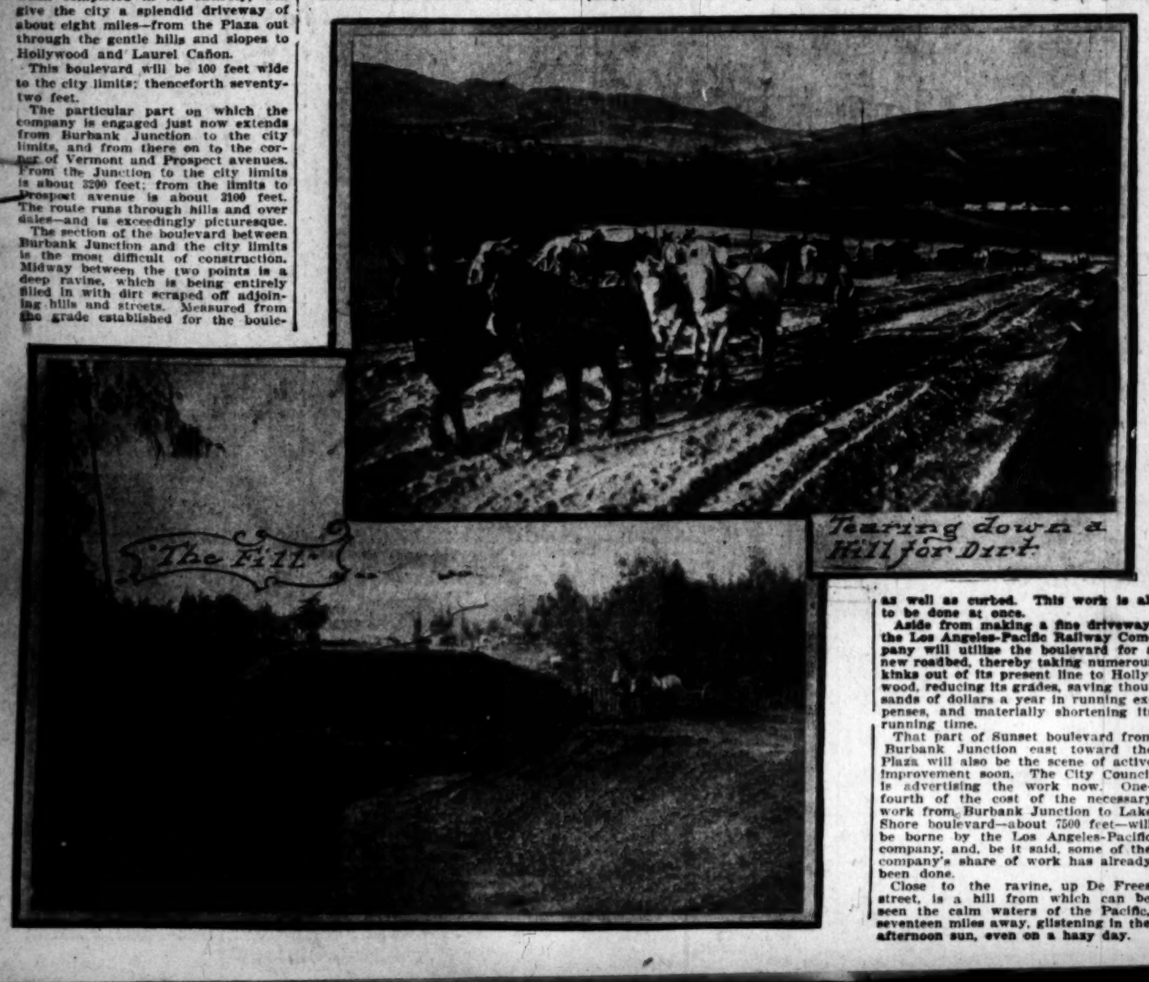
In the ravine is an extensive eucalyptus grove, a part of which has been "grubbed out" to make way for the boulevard. When "the fill" is all in, the dirt will stand up over half as high as the tall trees.

Just now the boulevard is being put to a sub-grade, subsequently to be top-dressed with decomposed granite, as well as curbed. This work is all to be done at once.

Aside from making a fine driveway, the Los Angeles-Pacific Railway Company will utilize the boulevard for a new roadbed, thereby taking numerous kinks out of its present line to Hollywood, reducing its grades, saving thousands of dollars a year in running expenses, and materially shortening its running time.

That part of Sunset boulevard from Burbank Junction east toward the Plaza will also be the scene of active improvement soon. The City Council is advertising the work now. One-fourth of the cost of the necessary work from Burbank Junction to Lake Shore boulevard—about 7500 feet—will be borne by the Los Angeles-Pacific company, and, be it said, some of the company's share of work has already been done.

Close to the ravine, up De Frees street, is a hill from which can be seen the calm waters of the Pacific, seventeen miles away, glistening in the afternoon sun, even on a hazy day.



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AFTERMATH OF THE PASADENA CARNIVAL.

MANAGEMENT THINKS FINANCES ARE IN GOOD FORM.

Indians Going Home Tonight to Spin Strange Stories—Allerton Buys to Build—Schoolboys Fined—Restaurant Man Sells Liquor.

PASADENA, Office of The Times, No. 38 South Raymond avenue, Jan. 3.—The management of the Tournament of Roses has not yet had time to balance the accounts of receipts and expenditures. Secretary George T. Frost said last night that he thinks every business proposition that has been tackled this time has paid. About $3000 was collected in subscriptions, which will pay for the prizes, and possibly compensate the president and secretary for their time. They were allowed an appropriation of $500 for their services, and the consensus of opinion is that they earned it. It would have been almost impossible to have competed with the circumstances that confronted the fete this year, if it had had to be done gratuitously.

"I think," said Secretary Frost yesterday, "that about 2000 people attended the polo game. They were charged 25 cents general admission, and carriages were charged from $3 apiece upward to $10 for tallyhos. There was some complaint from carriage owners, but I do not think that we made much money on the enterprise. We made money off our stadium, off our concessions, and I think on the park. But we cannot tell for a few days whether we have cleared anything on the entire deal. There were innumerable expenses that had to be met."

President Coleman and Secretary Frost seem to consider with some favor the idea of changing the date of the parade from January 1 to February 22. President, they agree, is the most serious obstacle to be coped with in making such a change.

The Navajo Indians, who livened up the parade so much, though they were silent as salamanders, will go "back to the woods" tonight. They do not speak any English, and they had never been off their reservation before. What stories they will have to tell their admiring comrades! You may imagine the young braves wrapped in their blankets, smoking and dealing out weird dreams around a sagebrush fire on the banks of the Little Colorado. They will tell of the beautiful maidens they saw in the tallyhos in the parade, and they will get into fits with their dusky sweethearts; of the big Chief of Police in his uniform and trappings that surpassed the war dress of the biggest Navajo warrior that ever lived; of the carriages than ran without horses, the wigwams with several hundred rooms each, and all the rest of the strange things they were told, and the chances are that the tale will rule them off the reservation for lying. But then, it is said, an Indian never does tell anything he sees or hears, and all the inquisitive soldiers who stayed at home will get only "Ugh, heap rubbernecks."

Today the Indians were taken to Los Angeles by special electric car, and visited Editor Charles F. Lummis's Out West. As they passed through the streets, they stuck their heads out of the car and uttered blood-curdling yells. Their conduct was somewhat of a contrast to that of the first day or two here, when they were docile as kittens. They will visit San Pedro today, free transportation over the Southern Pacific having been secured by Maj. Rowe.

There have been some complications about the awarding of prizes in the parade, and the Prize Committee will hold a meeting and adjust matters at the Board of Trade rooms on Monday morning, endeavoring to get a prize to every one who deserved one.

REALTY SALE.

E. H. Lockwood yesterday reported the sale to S. W. Allerton of Chicago of a block bounded by Fair View avenue, Union Vista street and Highland avenue, in South Pasadena, for $10,500. The property was owned by M. E. Wood and C. M. Davis, and overlooks the road below Columbia street. The purchaser will build a handsome residence upon it. The land is 273x352 feet, and the residence will be surrounded by orchard lawns.

Mr. Allerton, who founded the First National Bank of Chicago and is heavily interested in the Chicago Railway, has been living at No. 707 South Orange Grove avenue during the winter. He owns a fine home in Chicago and another at Geneva Lake. He is building a new home near Chicago. One hundred acres will be improved there, with cottages for wdifs, and all the comforts they desire.

BIKE THIEF.

Henry Bornes spent the night in jail. He is a sixteen-year-old boy who was caught by the police while endeavoring to sell a Remington Special wheel at a Rabbit Fair Oaks store. He could not give a satisfactory account of where he got the bicycle, and when taken to 38 Raymond avenue, where he said he lived, he could not find the place. Though it is not known that the wheel was stolen, Bornes is suspected of it.

POLICELETS.

Three boys who had wearied of vacation had broke into the High School shortly after midnight of January 1. They appeared before Justice Kiamroth yesterday and were fined $5. They were letting the New Year in when the police chased the young boys out. Their names are Jack White, George Sharp, Ross McClelland, Virgil Vail, Carol Brown, Earl Smith and R. G. Gleason.

Thomas Townsend was fined $150 for selling liquor at the New York kitchen after 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The ordinance was broken on New Year's Day, and the proprietor claimed that the sale was made without his knowledge by waiters hired to handle the crush of parade spectators.

Frank Martin, the Los Angeles colored boy who stole a bicycle belonging to Jay Bench, appeared before Justice Kiamroth and will have his examination next Tuesday.

SOCIETY NOTES.

Miss Charlotte E. Thomas has issued invitations for the largest luncheon given for ladies this season, fifty-two of Pasadena's society women being included. The luncheon will be given in the north annex of the Hotel Green dining-room Wednesday at 1 o'clock.

Miss Allen of "The Sphinx," has sent out invitations for a dance to be given at her charming suburban home Friday evening of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thaddeus Lowe, Jr., had as their guests at a house party from Wednesday until yesterday, Mr. and Mrs. Goodhue and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bixby of Long Beach.

Bishop and Mrs. Joseph H. Johnson have gone to Mexico for an extended trip. They will return to Hotel Green some time in February.

Miss Martha Behr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arno Behr of Orange Grove avenue, has returned from a three months' stay in Chicago.

Mrs. E. C. Bangs entertained the Sans Souci Club yesterday afternoon at her home, Arroyo Vista.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hamilton of East California street will entertain this evening with a small chafing dish party.

The Owl Whist Club was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. William N. Hall on New Year's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Fausset and Miss May Fauset of Verdugo, Miss Robison of Glendale, Miss McDevit of Compton, Mr. and Mrs. Holmes and Mrs. Mallory of Pasadena were guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Stevenson on New Year's Day.

NEWSLETS.

Secretary W. R. Clark of the Board of Trade received a letter yesterday from Land Commissioner Binger Hermann in regard to the board's fire claims, stating that they are being further investigated. Secretary Clark will write shortly to Prof. Roth of the Forestry Department in answer to a communication in which Prof. Roth points out that this forest reserve has already more rangers than any other its size. Prof. Clark points out that the conditions are such that more rangers are needed.

Secretary E. T. Sams of the Y.M.C.A. appeared on the streets yesterday for the first time since he was run over by an automobile on Thanksgiving morning. Two ribs were broken, all the ligaments of his shoulder torn loose and his jaw lacerated. He is still very weak, but has reason to hope that his injuries will not prove of permanent seriousness.

Mrs. Amelia C. Cann, aged 73 years, widow of H. B. Cann, died yesterday morning at her home, No. 38 South Moline avenue. The funeral arrangements await the arrival of a son from the East.

C. C. Reynolds has been elected a director of the Pasadena National Bank.

The Board of Education will meet this morning to further consider High School plans.

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WOMAN OF MYSTERY AT OCEAN PARK.

SPED SEAWARD IN DARKNESS AND COULDN'T BE FOUND.

Strong Probability That She Leaped into Ocean and Sank Beneath the Waves—Moaned Like an Animal and Ran Wildly.

OCEAN PARK, Jan. 2.—The town has been wondering today over a mysterious woman who disappeared in the darkness at the ocean's edge Thursday evening.

At about 8 o'clock the noise of a restless walker and a sound as of a dog moaning was heard in a passage by the Short Line restaurant at No. 131 Ocean Park beach. For several minutes the strange noise continued till, attention being attracted, a door was opened with a view to investigation.

The moment that the glare of the light within dispelled a patch of the gloom without the figure of a woman was seen running like a frightened animal. Scurrying along the lengthy passage to the front of the building the woman gained the porch and, in her haste, leaped and stumbled on a big pipe. Regaining her feet, she sped wildly toward the sea, and in a moment the thick darkness had swallowed her perhaps forever.

The electric porch lights were turned on and an alarm was sounded. Men in shirtsleeves ran to the beach, but they could find nothing of the woman. The search was extended far up and down the shore, but no further trace of the fleeing figure was discovered.

The woman is described as rather stout, with light hat, light waist and brown skirt.

OCEAN PARK NOTES.

V. C. Reche, from near Manvel, Nev., is spending the holidays with his wife at South Second street and Pier avenue.

Mrs. M. C. Parker and Mrs. J. W. Allen of St. Louis, Mo., have taken a cottage for a month at No. 81 Ocean Park beach.

Miss Laura Holder, formerly an assistant in the Ocean Park Postoffice, and Charles Rutlege of Santa Monica were married Christmas eve by Rev. J. O. Jennings. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Holder. Mr. and Mrs. Rutlege will live in Ocean Park.

Mrs. A. Berger and Master W. T. Berger of Chicago and Mr. and Mrs. Olcovich of Los Angeles are staying at the Holborow.

SANTA CATALINA ISLAND.

"OUTSIDERS" GIFT TO PASTOR.

AVALON, Jan. 2.—The "outsiders," that is, the non-church-goers of this community, to show their appreciation of the work and services of Rev. C. W. Williams, pastor of the Avalon Congregational Church, presented him with a purse of $175 on New Year's day at the hands of Ed Stanton, the island superintendent. Mr. Williams, in acknowledging the gift, states that the community interest manifested thereby is to him a gratification beyond expression.

ISLAND SQUIBS.

E. E. Chapman and his brother, C. C. Chapman, of Los Angeles spent the forenoon today fishing, with Mexican Joe, the result being twenty-one whitefish and three sheepshead.

The "Flying Eagle" is the latest addition to the fleet of fishing boats in the bay. It belongs to Arthur Sutemeier, a market fisher, and will be used in fishing for sand dabs and groupers. The new boat was launched yesterday, Miss Hazel Wilson breaking a bottle of champagne over her bow as she slipped into the water. The boat is twenty-two feet in length, seven feet beam, and is equipped with a five-horse-power Union engine.

Miss Jessie Rountbwaite of Riverside, who is a student at the Ramona Convent at Shorb, has been spending the holidays here, visiting Mrs. David Wilson. She returned to her school duties today.

Mr. and Mrs. David Wilson and their little daughter went over to Los Angeles today, for a week's visit.

Mrs. W. S. Bartlett, Miss Pansy Williams and Lanier Bartlett of Los Angeles are guests at the Metropole.

HER ROAD TO JAIL A PATH OF GAYETY.

SANTA MONICA WOMAN LAUGHED OVER PRISON PROSPECT.

Thought the Sheriff's Hotel Wouldn't Be So Bad After All, and Declared She Had No Grudge Against the Magistrate.

SANTA MONICA, Jan. 2.—One Santa Monica woman has changed the generally-established order of the universe and transformed jail-going from a sad affair to a happy function. The woman who has dared to mock at the ancient custom of sadness, as applied to such occasions, is Mrs. Frances Hueneke, who this morning went mirthfully to the county bastile.

Mrs. Hueneke was tried by Justice Jenness on a charge of disturbing the peace. The complainant was Frank Vogel. It appeared that Vogel was living in a house which he had rented of Mrs. Hueneke and which was next door to the one she occupied. Mrs. Hueneke seems to have formed a dislike for Vogel and his wife, and annoyed them in various ways. One specific act complained of was the throwing of a piece of coal through a window of the house occupied by the Vogels. Now, it happens that coal contributions in sunny Santa Monica are not greatly desired, and particularly when the donor insists on delivering them by the window route, so the Vogels thought that forbearance had ceased to be a virtue, and a complaint was lodged.

The trial took place without a jury Tuesday, and the defendant having been found guilty, was sentenced to pay a fine of $25 or spend twenty-five days in the County Jail. She was given a certain period in which to pay the fine, but she failed to do so, and a commitment was issued. When Constable Pritchard started to take her to Los Angeles this morning the gayety began. "And shure judge, you're going wrong to send a woman like me to jail," she said, "but I don't hold no grudge against ye. I'm an honest woman, an' ye shouldn't have taken the word of the other people against what I told ye."

Then she had a fit of laughter, as if she had just told an "end man's" joke. Constable Pritchard and a reporter assured her that, from personal experience, they could testify that the jail was a very good place to go to. Maybe she would be made a "trusty" there, they told her.

"A trustee? And what's that?" she inquired.

She was told that perhaps she would have a chance to rule with an iron hand over the other women visitors at the Sheriff's hotel, and her risibilities were again audibly affected. She was still vocally mirthful when a trolley car sped away with her in the officer's charge.

ENTERTAINED BY LADIES.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y.M.C.A. gave a reception New Year's evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. L. Coffman at Sixth street and Oregon avenue. The function was tendered to the young men of Santa Monica and Ocean Park. The house was trimmed with smilax and holly. Violin and piano selections were rendered by Miss Beth Myers and Mrs. George Hart. In receiving the, president, Mrs. Coffman, was assisted by Mrs. J. R. Clark, Mrs. W. T. Gillis, Mrs. F. H. Rindge, Mrs. F. N. H. Foundation, Mrs. L. D. Post, Mrs. R. F. Harrison, Mrs. Dr. L. H. Case, Miss Ramsey and Miss E. N. Wagley.

GUESTS IN OAKLAND.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Tanner spent Christmas in Oakland as guests of Capt. and Mrs. John Lewis. Capt. Lewis was formerly in charge of the Southern Pacific dock at Fort Los Angeles, and is now master of the ferry steamer Tamalpais on San Francisco Bay. Mr. Tanner returned home Thursday. Mrs. Tanner will remain for a while in the north.

POMONA.

S. P. SMASHUP.

POMONA, Jan. 2.—Through the mistake of a brakeman in applying the air brakes at the rear of an east-bound freight train that was returning to Deciez for a load of rock, a wreck occurred on the Southern Pacific, near the Ruddoc, Trench Company packing-house this morning. The brakes brought the rear section of the train to such a sudden stop as it was being backed that two flat cars caught in the jam were crushed to splinters and thrown across the rails. The track was blocked until a wrecking crew cleared away the débris of timber and twisted iron.

Rufus Wheelock, who has been spending a few days as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Armour started for Los Angeles this morning, en route to his home in San Francisco.

Mrs. S. St. John was here from Whittier yesterday and today on business, and Miss Mabel St. John is visiting her friend, Miss Belle Cowdery.

A. B. Cannon, Miss Ella Cannon and Oliver R. Clark attended the tournament at Pasadena yesterday.

Many Pomona people will attend the Booker T. Washington lecture at Pomona College tomorrow afternoon.

CLAREMONT.

COLLEGE NEWS.

CLAREMONT, Jan. 2.—The college town awoke to new life this morning, when the trains brought back the students by scores after the two weeks vacation. At 10:30 o'clock Holmes Hall bell started its accustomed ringing, and within five minutes all the students had gathered in the chapel to hear President Gates deliver the opening address of the new year. He dealt especially upon the personality of Booker T. Washington, who will speak at 2:45 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Dr. Gates placed especial emphasis upon the privilege and value of hearing a man whose whole soul was being poured out for one great cause—the emancipation of the negro race.

Dean E. C. Norton has already registered four new students, who are to begin at once the regular work of the institution, John Ransom Casey of Pomona, Roy Thacker of Lordsburg, Forrest Keyes of Redlands, and H. A. Treat of Los Angeles.

The college dining-room at Sumner Hall again opened last night, under the same manakement. About 110 boarders are to be regularly accommodated.

Mrs. G. Roscoe Thomas of Pasadena arrived in Claremont yesterday for a visit with her daughter, Miss Grace Thomas, the college book-keeper and stenographer.

Prof. A. J. Cook returned last night from a northern trip.

Misses Phelps and Pettit, Dr. G. S. Sumner and A. Rae Condit were the Claremont members of a tallyho party which went to the Pasadena Tournament of Roses yesterday.

TROPICO.

NEWS BRIEFS.

TROPICO, Jan. 2.—The Glendale Orchestra was greeted by a large and appreciative audience at G.A.R. Hall, and rendered a pleasing programme. The following-named compose the orchestra: First violins, Misses Ella Doyle, Bertha Patterson and Jessie Patterson; second violins, John Kirkham, Willie Thomson; viola, Fred Thomson; 'cellos, Miss Mary Doyle, Henry Thomson; bass viol, Samuel Fiske; clarinet, Miss Belle Doyle; coronet, John Doyle, trombone, D. M. Stuart.

Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Chase have been entertaining Rev. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wilbur of Klamath Lake, who are missionaries working among the Indians of Northern California and southern Oregon. Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur have been transferred to the missionary field of Southern California and will later be assigned to their missionary field by Dr. George Bovard, presiding elder.

J. B. Hickman, J. D. Botts, Reuben Z. Imler and John J. Hickman have returned from a several days' rabbit chase near Chatsworth Park.

RIVERA.

LODGE OFFICERS.

RIVERA, Jan. 2.—Court Rivera, I. O.F., elected as Chief Ranger, William Wood; Vice-Chief Ranger, W. R. Patton; Recording Secretary, J. T. Goode; Financial Secretary, Elmer Hotchkiss; Treasurer, J. L. Russell; Orator, Matt Moss; Senior Warden, H. S. White; Junior Warden, James T. Hooper; Senior Beadle, S. Smith; Junior Beadle, Carl Dohm; Court Deputy, H. S. White; Court Physician, Dr. W. D. Groton; Past Chief Ranger, John Lynch. A pleasant feature of the meeting was the presentation to Treasurer J. L. Russell of a handsome silver tea set.

The festivities Wednesday night in Los Angeles were plainly heard here, a distance of ten miles.

Mrs. Marlin and daughter, Inez, entertained a party of young people Wednesday night, and the new year was greeted with appropriate ceremonies.

Carson Magill takes the place of J. Alec Cate in the firm of Magill & Cate, and Mr. Cate has identified himself with the firm of Edward D. Silent & Co. of Los Angeles.

Mrs. Mark E. Cary will start for her home in Johannesburg, South Africa, Monday.

Mr. Huntington and his large red automobile were in Rivera today.

WHITTIER WILL BE ON THE MAIN LINE.

HUNTINGTON SETS AT REST THE PEOPLE'S FEARS.

Head of Pacific Electric and Prominent Officials Inspect Proposed Route of Trolley Line—Will Take About Sixty Days to Build.

WHITTIER, Jan. 2.—A party of electric railroad officials were here today while on a tour of inspection of the proposed route of the new electric road from Los Angeles to Whittier; the members of the party being H. E. Huntington, Epes Randolph, G. E. Pillsbury, W. J. Hole and L. H. Johnson, the last-named acting as chauffeur, and the trip being made in Mr. Hole's touring car. The party made fast time across the level road of the mesa. This afternoon they went to La Habra, going by way of the route recently surveyed. Mr. Huntington was asked if he could say something for publication, which would allay the distruct felt over articles and interviews in the Los Angeles papers, and said: "I don't like to make too many pledges, but I usually more than carry out any I do make; as when I refused to pledge a $10,000 station at Pasadena, but did build a $15,000 one. In regard to the building of the main line through Whittier, I will not state in regard to the freight traffic, but you may say that in regard to the passenger traffic, that Whittier will be on the main line." This will be welcome news for Whittier people, who have had more than enough of being on the end of a branch line, and who had felt quite uneasy during the past few days, lest they were again to be put on a spur, with the main line tantalizingly near, but unavailable. Mr. Huntington was asked if he could speak definitely as to length of time required to build over the proposed route, and after a consultation with Manager Randolph as to whether there was sufficient material at hand, he made the statement that, basing his estimate on the time consumed in building the Long Beach road, which is longer than the Whittier line, he thought sixty days would grade and build the proposed line. It took the company only seventy-two days to build the Long Beach line, which is one of the finest in the world, and the thoroughness of its construction will be duplicated in the Whittier line.

Most of the right of way between Los Angeles and the San Gabriel River has been obtained, and some of that between the river and Whittier. The company purposes to grade for a double track the entire distance, but until it knows positively that the business will warrant, it will build only a single track, putting in the second as the volume of business will warrant.

The directors of the Whittier Board of Trade held a meeting this afternoon to consult with some of the prominent ranchers in the valley in regard to ways and means of clearing up all right-of-way difficulties, and to aid in quicker building of the road.

PIONEER LAID AWAY.

The funeral of H. W. L. Pitzer, one of the prominent Friends and long a resident of Whittier, was conducted at the Friends Church this afternoon. Mr. Pitzer, who died after only a short illness, was 64 years of age, and leaves a widow and a large family of grown-up sons and daughters, six of whom reside in this city. The services were conducted by Rev. Levi Mills, the pastor, assisted by Rev. F. A. Ames.

LORDSBURG.

SALE AT LA VERNE

LORDSBURG, Jan. 2.—R. A. Wallace has bought the ten-acre orange grove and residence of B. B. Brown at La Verne for $10,000. Mr. Wallace has owned considerable property at various times in La Verne, and it is largely owing to his efforts that this district has such an abundance of water, and it was only natural that he should reinvest his capital here.

B. B. Brown will soon move to Seattle, Wash., to make his home, most of the members of his family residing there.

Col. T. P. Firey having bought the ten acres of land belonging to Jefferson Sturm, and the ten acres adjoining from Mrs. Baker in La Verne, is preparing to plant them to oranges. Water will be piped from the Mesa Land and Water Company's pumping plant in which Col. Firey is largely interested.

Frank H. Massey has bought the north twenty acres of the Mills tract in La Verne, and is preparing to plant oranges.

The stockholders of the San Dimas Cooperative Association have elected D. C. Teague, president; R. A. Wallace, vice-president; E. O. Thompson, treasurer; F. J. Johnson, secretary; M. B. Curtis with the officers, form the board of directors. This association has purchased the stock of A. Neher, the San Dimas groceryman, and will continue the business, retaining Mr. Neher as manager.

The Christian Advent Church gave an entertainment for the children New Year's evening.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Davisson of La Verne have been entertaining their children during the holidays. They are all residents of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Davisson, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Williaman, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bosley, Miss D. Davisson and Ernest Davisson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Thacker and family have returned from a three months' visit in Illinois.

B. J. Thompson and family of Malone, N. Y., are visiting at the home of A. R. Peck.

J. W. Walker and wife of San Dimas have returned from a visit to Kentucky.

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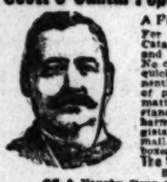

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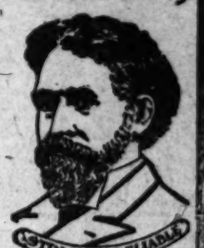

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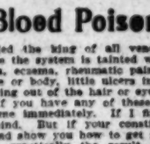

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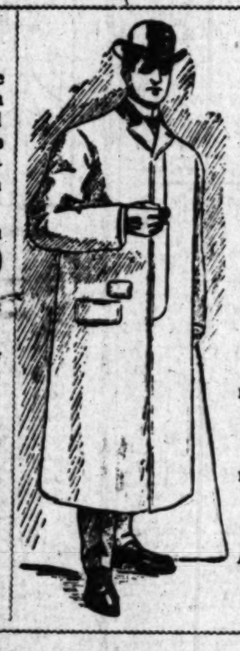

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SECOND FLOOR.

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BOYS' 2 PIECE KNEE PANT SUITS—made with double breasted jacket; materials are strictly all wool Cheviot or Tweed, winter weights and colorings; pants are made with double seats and knees, and sizes range 6 to 16 years; these are regular $3.00 values, reduced to **$1.98**

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BOYS' 2-PIECE ALL WOOL KNEE PANT SUITS—made in either Norfolk or double breasted style; they are in plain or fancy colorings, in all wool serges, Cheviots or Tweeds; they are the newest styles, are thoroughly well tailored, correct in fit and finish, sizes range 3 to 16 years; price **$5.00**

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BOYS' OVERCOATS—in box raglan style; the materials are all wool Cheviots and Kerseys; made with raglan cuffs, silk velvet collars; these coats are lined with best Italian cloth sizes range 3 to 16 years, and are actual $6.00 values, priced reduced to **$5.00**

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SECOND FLOOR.

BIBLE LESSONS.

FOR SUNDAY-SCHOOL TEACHERS AND OTHER BIBLE STUDENTS.

Prepared for The Times by J. S. Kirtley.

For Sunday, January 4, 1903.

Paul and Silas at Philippi.—(Acts xvi, 22-34.

THE CONNECTION.

After six months in the Old Testament we return to the New, and take up the story of the progress of the kingdom as recorded in Acts. We had six months in Acts, and studied the progress of Christ's sway over men, in its extensive and intensive characters. They have been doing missionary work till they have at last reached Europe. There are four of them, Paul and Silas and Timothy and Luke. The latter seems to have joined them at Troas. They are now at Philippi, where they have won some disciples, among them Lydia and her household, where they are being entertained. The place of prayer by the Gangas River became a regular meeting place. Day after day, as they went to and fro, a girl met them, and in a wild and crazy way kept crying out, "These men are the servants of the most high God, who show to us the way of salvation." She was possessed of a devil. In these mythological regions of Greece they peopled the world with spirits, beneficent or malignant, and they thought it was the spirit of Apollo Python. She was a slave, in fact seems to have been owned by a company who made money by having her to mutter out the fortunes of the superstitious people.

Paul was grieved, not that she testified to them, but that she was possessed by an evil spirit. He was not irritated, but indignant. He would not have his gospel mixed up in the testimony of demons, just as Jesus would not, for the faith of the people must not rest on such testimony, and besides, he would restore her to her sanity.

Her owners were enraged at Paul and Silas, and called in the civil law. They dared not charge that they had interfered with the making of money out of an unfortunate girl, but charged that they were disturbing the peace, which was, in a sense, true, and that they were trying to get Romans to accept another religion, which was against the law. They were also enraged at the apostles because they were Jews.

THE LESSON.

I.

"Beaten and Imprisoned." (Verses 22-24.)

"And the multitude rose up together against them; and the magistrates rent their garments off them and commanded to beat them with rods. And when they had laid many stripes upon them they cast them into prison, charging the jailer to keep them safely; who, having received such a charge, cast them into the inner prison and made their feet fast in the stocks."

Though the charge was false, the prejudices were aroused against these Jews, and the mass of the people did not stop to think. With loud cries of rage they rose up in the presence of the officers. The edict of Claudius against the Jews was fresh in their minds; their pride as Romans was offended; their loss of a sensation in the muttering girl was an affront to them; these men must be punished. The magistrates called themselves Praetors just as at Rome and this was a miniature Rome—and their servants, called sergeants here are the Lictors.

The Praetors degraded the dignity of Roman law by not first inquiring into the charge, and they dishonored two Roman citizens by scourging them as a Roman citizen could not be legally scourged. With their own hands the Praetors tore off the outer garments of the prisoners to prepare them quickly for the beating, while they ordered the lictors to get their rods in order to beat them. This undignified and mad conduct of the officials was illegal, and it is possible that is the reason why Paul did not claim his rights as a Roman citizen just then, seeing that they were too blindly mad to listen to him. Perhaps he tried to tell them, and their cries drowned his voice. Perhaps he refrained from telling them he was a Roman citizen to shield some of the others upon whom they would wreak their disappointed wrath. The Jews restricted their beating to "forty stripes save one;" but here, there was no such restrictions and the lictors, no doubt, beat them to their heart's content. This was one of the three instances to which Paul alludes (II Corinthians xi, 25) when he says, "Thrice was I beaten with rods."

Their object in putting them in prison we may not know, though we know it was not humane. It was probably to humiliate and punish them still further and have them ready for any cruel treatment that would be prompted next day. The jailer, into whose hands they were committed with strict injunctions, had the temper of the mob, and gave them the very best he had in the way of hardships—the underground inmost prison, damp, full of vermin, and furnished only with stocks, wooden timbers with holes for the feet so wide apart as to distend the legs and compel them to sit in such a position as to give unrelieved pain.

This is the first fight with heathenism, unassisted by Jewish hate. At each step, Christianity has had a bitter fight with demonism. At Samaria, in the person of Simon, a Jew; at Paphos, in Bar Jesus, also a Jew; at Philippi, in the person of the devotee of Apollo. It has been victorious heretofore; it seems beaten now. The apostles are not only bleeding from their stripes, but are in prison. Alas, alas.

II.

"Happy in Prison." (Verse 25.)

"But about midnight Paul and Silas were praying and singing hymns unto God and the prisoners were listening to them."

As late as the midnight hour they were singing, and were praying while they did so. Why? They knew God had brought them here, had permitted this suffering and would make it work out some good purpose. They would not be surprised at any providential turn their imprisonment would take, though they were ready for death. "Songs in the night" God gives to His beloved. The Psalms probably were sung and their spontaneous praises were uttered in song.

Where are Timothy and Luke? They were not present when the miracle was wrought on the girl, or were overlooked by the mob for the two leaders, Paul and Silas. But we may be sure Luke and Timothy were not sleeping much, and we may also be safely sure that they were praying while the other two were praising.

III.

"Hastily Delivered." (Verses 26-34.)

"And suddenly there was a great earthquake, so that the foundations of the prison-house were shaken; and immediately all the doors were opened; and everyone's bands were loosed. And the jailer being roused out of sleep, and seeing the prison dors open, drew his sword and was about to kill himself, supposing the prisoners had escaped. But Paul cried with a loud voice, saying: 'Do thyself no harm; for we are all here.' And he called for lights and sprang in and trembling for fear fell down before Paul and Silas and brought them out and said: 'Sirs, What must I do to be saved?' And they said, 'Believe on the Lord Jesus and thou shalt be saved, thou and thy house.' And they spake the word of the Lord unto him with all that were in his house. And he took them the same hour of the night and washed their stripes, and was baptized, he and all his, immediately. And he brought them up into his house, and set meat before them and rejoiced greatly, with all his house, having believed in God."

As God guided them over the sea, He will guide them through this bloody incident. They submitted willingly to His will, to His arrangement. They were resting in confidence. Their faith took the form of praise rather than of prayer. To that faith an answer was given in their release with honor, the conversion of numerous people, and the furtherance of the cause. It was done by the power of God. The earthquake did not do it. It was given to impress the minds of the heathen. It was not necessary, in order to break the chains or unlock the doors. It was either supernatural or supernaturally timed.

Paul and Silas were aware of the power that was using the earthquake; the others thought of an angry deity. The first effect on the jailer was to awaken him. The second was to lead him to suppose that all the prisoners had fled, for they might do so very easily. The third effect was instant preparation for suicide with his own sword, rather than death at the hands of the law for allowing prisoners to escape. But Paul heard the rattle of the sword as it was drawn from its sheath and saw it flash for an instant in the fitful light. He knew well what it meant. In one instant his voice stopped the mad act with assurance that no one had fled. As soon as he could procure lights the jailer was at his feet in a paroxysm of fear. It was not fear of the earthquake; that was gone. It was not the fear of the Praetors, his prisoners were safe. It was the fear of the God of these two men. Evidently He had caused the earthquake; He was angry with them for their sins, and especially the sin of beating and imprisoning His servants; these two men were in His favor and were offering terms of peace and salvation, for he had heard of what the girl had said. Thus he thought, and it may be some impression had been made on his mind which was now deepened into religious awe. He was conscious of sin, and remembering what the slave girl said about the "way of salvation," though not as enlightened about the full meaning of salvation as he came to be afterward, he asked how he could be saved from his sins and be brought into peace with God.

Paul's first words were a definite answer to the definite question, and then he took time to speak "the word of the Lord" more fully, explaining more about Christ and the duties of those who believe. As the jailer was totally ignorant of Christ, Paul and Silas must have answered many questions and attempted to enlighten him on all-important points. One interesting fact to notice is that they offered salvation to all the members of his household on the same terms as to him, and that they were immediately called together to hear the word in the outer prison. All this was done very quickly before the hour had passed. The man believed and gave immediate evidence, beginning at the right place. Paul told them the duty of being baptized, but the jailer had another duty first. Although he did not wield the rods that made their backs bleed, he was in sympathy with the men who did and had felt just as bloodthirsty toward them when he put them in prison. He feels responsible for those wounds, and though he saw with indifference the clotted blood on their backs when he imprisoned them, he cannot wait a moment to wash them. The word Luke uses implies, as Conybear and Howson say, that he took them out of the prison—probably to some fountain or tank in the court, as they usually had such. After repairing as best he could the wrong for which he felt himself in part responsible, he was ready to obey the command of his Savior to be baptized. He would very naturally want to do still further for his new friends. What can he do? Give them something to eat. Sure enough, that is the very thing. They have had much loss of blood since eating, have had wasting expenditure of vital force in enduring it all, and after such a nervous shock all of them may be a little hungry. Yes, set the table and refresh these men with food. Now the jailer's joy bursts forth, for he has believed according to command, and has obeyed and has done all he could for his guests. Of course, he rejoiced; it is the greatest day of his life. One element of his joy is that his whole household are sharing his salvation. Each one had the conviction of sin which he had, had salvation offered on the same terms, had the word made clear by the apostles, believed, was baptized, rejoiced.

Happy household!

WHAT THE MASTERS SAY.

Satan was encountered here, not as he manifested himself in Judea in Jesus's day, but as he wrought in heathendom. These possessions, so often noted in the sacred record, belonged, perhaps, exclusively to that day. They may have passed away, but he who caused them has not. Certain ancient sins have ceased, but sin has not. Satan is full of "devices" (2 Corinthians, 2:11.) He has not abdicated his throne. His method may vary, it was one thing then, it is another now, but he is ever the same, the enemy of all truth.—[Stifler.

Even the hardest place brings with it some opportunity of service and testimony. Not a prison, even, can cage you from that. Forth from their dark cell sounded these praiseful notes, and they cast their spell upon the other prisoners. How they must have wondered, and been taught that Paul and Silas had something joyfully masterful in their hearts which they did not have.—[Hoyt.

TRUTHS TO IMPRESS.

(1.) That Christianity aims to put a stop to every unholy occupation.

(2.) That when blind rage rules, cowardice and cruelty will be shown.

(3.) That the presence of God makes hard places pleasant

(4.) That we can serve God's purpose in all sufferings.

(5.) That every event is an urgent opportunity.

(6.) That God's peace is wonderful and desirable because it can keep us in emergencies.

(7.) That God makes man's wrath and nature's storms to praise Him and do His will.

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CHURCH SERVICES.

Sunday, January 4.

IMMANUEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, cor. Tenth and Figueroa sts. Rev. Hugh K. Walker, D.D., pastor. Services tomorrow: 11 a.m., "The Brightening Border of a New Day," a message of cheer for the New Year; evening, "The Dreams of Life That We Should Cherish," a plea for the sparing of some of our ideals. The church will be comfortably heated, and it is hoped that an unusually large number of our own members will be present. Tourists and strangers will be cordially welcomed. Take University, Pico Heights or Washington cars of the Los Angeles Railway, and University Station cars of the Traction Railway.

ST. JOHN'S (EPISCOPAL) ADAMS AND Figueroa sts. Rev. B. W. R. Taylor, Rector; Rev. C. E. Benham, Curate. Low celebration of the Holy Eucharist, 7:30 a.m.; high celebration with sermon by the rector, 11 a.m.; full choral evensong (English cathedral use), with sermon by the curate, 4 p.m. Tuesday, Festival of the Epiphany, celebration of the Holy Eucharist, 10 a.m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:30 p.m. The sittings in St. John's Church are all free. Strangers are cordially invited. Take Grand-ave. cars to Adams st., and walk to Figueroa st. Music is rendered by a large vested choir of men, women and boys.

CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, FLOWER st., cor. Pico (13th st.) Rev. Geo. Thos. Dowling, D.D., Rector; Rev. Charles W. Naumann, Assistant Minister; Rev. Waldo F. Mahon, Minister in charge of Mission. Holy communion, 8:45 a.m.; holy communion and sermon by Rev. Mr. Naumann, at 11 a.m., "Humility, the Initial Virtue of Christianity;" evening prayer, with sermon by Rev. Mr. Naumann, at 7:30 p.m., "The Conquest of Self;" Sunday-school, with music by the orchestra, at 9:30 a.m. Both University and Pico Heights cars pass the door. Welcome.

ST. PAUL'S PRO-CATHEDRAL, OLIVE, between Fifth and Sixth sts. Near all the leading hotels. The Rt. Rev. J. H. Johnson, D.D., Bishop; the Ven. Rev. J. Wilkins, D.D., Dean and Rector. Holy communion, 7:30 a.m.; Sunday-school, 9:30 a.m.; office of the holy communion and sermon, 11 a.m., subject, "What Shall Then Do With It?" Evening prayer and sermon, 7:30 p.m., subject, "Turning Over a New Leaf." All services free. Strangers and all other persons will be cordially welcomed.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, CORNER Figueroa and 20th sts. The pastor, Rev. Aquilla Webb, Ph. D., will preach at 11 o'clock a.m. and conduct vesper services, consisting of special music by the choir and Bible readings, from 4 to 4:45 o'clock, during the month, instead of the regular evening service.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Sixth and Hill. Rev. William Horace Day, pastor. Morning service, 11; subject, "The Resurrection of the Body," one of the perplexing questions of the future life. Evening, 7:30, Booker T. Washington will speak under the auspices of the Men's League.

PLYMOUTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, 21st st. and Estrella ave. Take University car to 21st st., walk one-half block east. Preaching by Rev. J. H. Mallows, 11 a.m., "The Lord's Prayer." Sacramental service, 7:30 p.m., "Thou Shalt Love."

CHURCH OF THE ANGELS, GARVANZA, Avenue 63. Rector, Rt. Rev. J. H. Johnson, D.D.; Chaplain, Rev. Walton Hall Doggett. Evensong with sermon at 3 p.m. Bus meets cars arriving at Avenue 64 (Mountain ave., Garvanza), at 2:30 and 2:45.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION. Regular men's meeting, Sunday, 3 p.m. New Year's address by Rev. A. C. Smither. Special music. All men welcome always. Rooms open from 1 to 6 p.m.

CENTRAL AVENUE CONGREGATIONAL Church, cor. 28th st. N. L. Rowell, D.D., pastor. Morning, "The Voyage of Life." In evening, installation of officers and praise service.

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH, 325 S. Main st. Preaching Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday-school, 7:30 p.m.; prayer-meeting, Thursday, 7:30 p.m. D. A. Wagner, minister.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH, HOPE AND 11th sts. Rev. A. C. Smither will preach at 11 a.m. upon "In the Beginning, God;" at 7:30 p.m., upon "The Blunder." All invited.

MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH, GRAND ave. and 22d st. Regular services morning and evening. Morning topic, "The Task of the Church in the Twentieth Century."

PENIEL HALL — MISS ELLEN KINSLEY, who has charge of the Peniel Mission and Orphanage at Coamo, Porto Rico, will speak tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN, WEST 20TH ST., near Main. Rev. Wm. S. Young, D.D., pastor. Services 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. as usual.

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LOCAL SPORTING RECORD.

SEVEN STAKE RACES FOR WINTER MEETING.

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New Baseball League Will Be Formed This Evening—Women's Golf Play at Country Club—Pug McFadden Gets In. Harlow Wins at Billiards.

Programmes have been issued for the seven stakes to be run at the meet which opens on January 31, and the card shows that the events will be worth going after by any of the horses that are to come here.

The most valuable will be the Montgomery Handicap, at a mile, for three-year-olds and upwards. This has $1000 added money, and the winner will be presented with a cup by Montgomery Bros. Four other stakes will have $500 added money, three of them with cups to the winners and the other two are two-year-old stakes, with $400 added to each.

The meet is to be under the auspices of the Los Angeles Jockey Club, and $75,000 will be offered in stakes and purses, the over-night races to be arranged to suit all classes of horses.

There will undoubtedly be a better class of horses here for this meet than for the last one. Many good ones are expected from San Francisco and the East, and yesterday Manager J. W. Brooks received a telegram from Durnell & Herz to reserve them fifteen stalls. This is the firm that owns McChesney, Caliban and other cracks, and part of the stable is now being run at the crooked New Orleans meeting, where all kinds of long shots win.

BASEBALL.

NEW LEAGUE FORMING.

A meeting will be held this evening to organize a Southern California baseball league, which will be composed of four clubs. There will be two from this city, one from Alhambra and one from Santa Ana. The games will be played here at Fiesta Park, but just who will manage the teams or the players that will be in them has not been definitely decided upon.

At Inglewood on New Year's Day the team of that town beat the Carr & Stephens club of this city by a score of 20 to 7.

GOLF.

LADIES' CONTEST AGAIN.

The semi-finals for the ladies' championship of the Country Club were played yesterday and proved to be exciting, the scores being close in the two matches played. Mrs. Bishop and Mrs. Frank Griffith met in the first at match play, and Mrs. Bishop won by 3 up and 2 to play. The next match was even closer, between Mrs. Bowers and Mrs. Connelly, the former winning by 2 up and 1 to play. The finals will be played on Monday.

The second match of the men's championship will be played this afternoon, beginning at 1:30 o'clock. The eight who will meet are Brown, Frederickson, Walton, Edwards, Broad, Frank Griffith and Crutcher. In this the semi-finals will be played tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock and the finals at 1:30 o'clock.

Pugilism.

Kid McFadden, who is to meet Kid Solomon in a preliminary at the Kelly-McVey fight at Hazard's Pavilion Tuesday night, arrived in this city yesterday. He says he weighs 125 pounds and is in fair condition. Britt writes here that he is willing to box Kid Parker, which shows he is not averse to picking up a little money.

Billiards.

Harlow beat Russe last night in a balk-line tournament game at Jake Berry's Hoffman billiard room, winning by a score of 150 to 139. His high runs were 6, 8 and 12, and he finished the game in ninety-one innings. Russe has been sick for several days and was not in condition to play. His high runs were 9, 9 and 16.

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